

GREAT ACTIVITY IN  
TOWN OF BILLERICAProblems That Will Come Before  
Next Town Meeting—The Car  
Shop Difficulty

With the annual meeting of the town of Billerica only a little over a month away the townspeople are beginning to gather and talk over the possibilities of the various candidates and the necessity of certain improvements in the town. The old form of town meeting has been adopted this year and it will be welcomed by the voters as the form used the past two years proved very unsatisfactory. During the past two or three years the candidates on the ballot would be voted upon on a certain date and the articles of the warrant taken up and discussed during the evening. If the entire business could not be transacted in one evening the meeting would have to be adjourned for a week and so on until the last article on the warrant was reached.

Although very few citizens have yet declared themselves as candidates for the various offices it is rumored throughout all sections of the town that there will be more contests on this year than for several years in the past. It is believed that there will be at least seven or eight citizens out for the board of selectmen, none of the present board, which is comprised of Messrs. Sheridan, Sanford and Wright, have yet made any public statement but it is understood that all three will be up for re-election and all have a host of friends in both villages.

## The Vacant Offices

There will also be a vacancy on the board of assessors this year and as this is one of the best paying offices in the town there will undoubtedly be several candidates for this position. A member of the board of health, a school committeeman, and several other offices are to be filled and a red hot town meeting is assured.

The citizens of the North Village are contemplating the name of Edgar P. Twombly to oppose Harry Essex for highway surveyor, but Mr. Twombly has not yet taken the stump. The contest for highway surveyor last year was one of the most interesting on the ballot. If Twombly and Essex are in the fight again this year it will probably be equally as lively.

Although the warrant for the town meeting has not yet been drawn up it is probable that the list of articles will be longer this year than for several years past. The coming of the Boston & Maine repair shops to the town has made considerable more work for all town departments and several improvements will have to be made on this account.

## Township House Act

A number of residents of the town who wish to have Billerica keep up her good name as being one of the most beautiful towns in this section of the state are going to make an effort to have the town adopt the provisions of chapter 635, of the acts of 1914, and also section 1 of chapter 101, as amended by chapter 324, acts of 1912, the same being the act regarding the building of tenement houses in the town. The act is known as the tenement house act and the Billerica people consider it very important at this time. An article of this sort was taken up at the meeting last year but as some of the citizens wished it placed on file for another year no definite action was taken.

## Burlington Road

The board of selectmen is also preparing to petition the state for the sum of \$2500 toward the building of a

new road from Burlington to Billerica. If the petition is signed by the state an article will have to be inserted in the warrant to see whether the town will appropriate a similar sum toward the macadam road.

Last year an article appeared in the warrant relative to the town appointing a committee to look into the matter of organizing a stock company to build a number of workmen's homes to be held or rented to the car shop employees and it is said that an article of this kind will probably be taken up at the meeting next month.

## Fire Engineer

During the past year the three members of the board of selectmen have been unable to agree upon a man for the position of fire engineer at Billerica Centre, practically held by John H. Bangor, and consequently the town has gone along with but two fire engineers instead of three as in past years. Several times the matter has been discussed at the sessions of the board but not two members were able to agree on a man and the office has remained vacant; therefore the expenses of the fire department will be fifty dollars less.

## The Car Shops

The employees of the Boston & Maine shops are greatly pleased over the new transportation conditions in which they work out the point of throwing up their jobs have decided to settle down and give the new scheme a thorough try out. It is said that a number of the men who came from the Essex shops to work in Billerica last week journeyed to Nashua Saturday and tried to secure work in the B. & M. shops there. As the employees of the Nashua shops expect to be sent to Keene, to take the place of the men sent to Billerica, should these men have been successful in securing work in the Nashua shops, it would send them back to their old homes in Keene, when the change is made.

The men told of the troubles here which were particularly in reaching the shops. One of the men said: "We could not stand living in Lowell and leaving our homes at 8 a. m. during the coldest weather of the year. It was a long ride out here on the electric and then the mile walk made it more disagreeable. Almost every morning last week it was from 10 to 20 below zero when we tramped through the snow to the shops. It was a long hard trip there a day and we feel grateful to the B. & M. for giving us such good transportation after learning of our difficulties."

As has been stated in these columns many times before the greater number of employees live in Lowell. Many who formerly lived in Centralville or along the downtown street car line have found suitable quarters nearer the railroad station and now they don't have to leave their homes till most 6.30 o'clock. The new arrangement has made the change much more pleasant for the workmen and their winter will be a great deal more comfortable than they expected.

## TO AID ARTIST EARLE

COMPANION LEFT CHRISTIANA, NORWAY, TODAY, TO GO TO PARIS

CHRISTIANA, Norway, Feb. 15.—Miss Charlotte Herman of Rutherford, N. J., the companion of Ferdinand P. Earle, the American artist who was recently extradited to France in connection with the kidnapping of Earle's eight-year-old son from a school in France, left here today for Paris, to aid him.

## NO VOTES FOR WOMEN

BILL FOR ENFRANCHISEMENT OF WOMEN IN SO. AFRICA DEFEATED AT FIRST READING BY ONE VOTE

CAPE TOWN, S. A., Feb. 15.—A bill for the enfranchisement of women in South Africa was introduced into the house of the assembly today, was negatived on the first reading by the narrow majority of 43 against 42 votes.

## WM. O'BRIEN REELECTED

INDEPENDENT IRISH NATIONALIST WAS UNOPPOSED FOR RE-ELECTION TO PARLIAMENT

CORK, Ireland, Feb. 15.—William O'Brien of the Independent Irish Nationalists, was re-elected unopposed today as member of parliament for Cork city. He recently resigned in consequence of a speech by Augustine Roche, nationalist member for North Louth, who declared that the independent leader had lost his hold on Cork. Mr. O'Brien accepted the implied challenge and immediately vacated his seat but the regular national party declined to oppose him. John E. Redmond, desiring to keep in the background as much as possible any differences between the two wings of the nationalist party.

BIG FIGHT AT  
STATE HOUSE

ADJUT. GENERAL GARDNER W. PEARSON

## Over Bill to Reduce Term of Adjutant General to One Year — Military Men Line Up for General Pearson Who Would Thus be Removed

A hearing on a bill making the tenure of office of the adjutant general one year instead of five years was held before the committee on military affairs at the state house this forenoon. The bill was strenuously opposed by friends of the present adjutant general, Gardner W. Pearson, of this city.

It will be remembered that two years ago, under Gov. Foss, the term of office of the adjutant general was increased from one to five years. This change was made on the assumption that a term of one year did not give the adjutant general an opportunity to complete any specific plan or course that he might have in mind for the betterment of the militia; that one year did not suffice to carry out any continued policy for the efficiency of the militia.

It was two years ago that the tenure of office was changed from one to five years and it was argued today by officers of the militia, representatives and others, that Mr. Pearson was as able, efficient and conscientious as any other man who ever filled the office of adjutant general in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Militia men told of the many splendid changes brought about by Adj. Gen. Pearson, and declared it would be a positive setback should Mr. Pearson in one year or two years be removed from office.

Which recommended in his resignation that the term of office of the adjutant general be returned to one year instead of five years on the theory that the governor of the Commonwealth as commander-in-chief of the militia and naval brigade, should at all times have the support of an adjutant general entirely in sympathy with the administration.

Adjutant General Pearson is working out a continued policy now to increase the efficiency of the militia. He is working it out along the line of the law and under the supervision of the federal authorities. He has been carrying his plan along for two years and the feeling of the great majority of militia men is that he should be given an opportunity to complete it.

There were militia men present at the hearing today from all over the state and they were there to do what they could to kill the bill and retain Mr. Pearson in office. It was stated, too, that delegations of officers from military companies throughout the state had visited Governor Walsh on several occasions within the last month or two in the interest of Mr. Pearson, but had come away without making any very perceptible impression upon his Excellency.

The greater part of the opposition, it appears, has slumbered down to the 9th regiment and is being led by Col. Logan, whose name has been mentioned very prominently as a candidate for Mr. Pearson's office.

It was stated, however, that the 9th regiment is somewhat split on the question and that some of the officers of the regiment have declared in favor of Mr. Pearson.

The hearing held today, of course, was but a preliminary step. The big fight will come on the floor of the house and it is expected that the Lowell delegation will take an active part in favor of Mr. Pearson.

Asked what side of the house he was on, Rep. Jewett replied: "I voted for Mr. Pearson and fought for him on the floor of the house, and I will vote and fight for him again. I served six years in Co. K, and I have personal knowledge of the splendid work that Mr. Pearson has done. It would be a blow to the militia to remove him from office."

The bill relative to the term of office is as follows:

Section 1. Section twelve of chapter six hundred and four of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and eight, as amended by chapter seven hundred and twenty of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and twelve, is hereby amended by striking out the last paragraph thereof and substituting therefor the following paragraph: "The terms of office of the chiefs of the above named departments, except the adjutant general's department, shall be five years, as provided in chapter four hundred and forty-nine of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and eleven."

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

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**MEMBERS NOTICE**  
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## First Edition

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MILITANT ATTACKED  
BARON WITH WHIPLord Weardale, Knocked Down  
by Severe Blow With a Powerful Whip—Lively Sensation

LONDON, Feb. 15.—A militant suffragette armed with a whip savagely attacked Baron Weardale while he was waiting today with 200 other guests for a train to Althorp park, Northampton to attend the wedding of the Hon. Sidney Peel, son of Viscount Peel and Lady Delia Spencer, daughter of Earl Spencer. The woman apparently mistook the elderly peer for one of the

cabinet ministers. Lord Weardale was walking with his wife along the platform when he was approached from behind by the woman, who struck him a severe blow with a powerful whip, as the result of which he fell to the ground.

The incident caused a lively sensation among the big party of fashionable people, many of whom were members of the nobility. Lord Weardale was not seriously injured.

## AN EXCITING RUNAWAY

Board of Health Horse Took to  
R.R. Tracks and Got Caught—  
Mr. Garvey Thrown Out

An exciting runaway occurred in the vicinity of the Middlesex street station shortly after 8 o'clock this morning when a horse owned by the board of health department and in charge of Foreman Thomas F. Garvey was frightened near the corner of Hele and Grand streets, and after running at a terrific pace through Grand street and several short streets in that section made a dash down the railroad tracks toward Western avenue and got caught in the trestle when about half way across the railroad bridge near the Middlesex street crossing. Mr. Garvey, it is said, was thrown out of the sleigh at the start but fortunately was not seriously injured.

A group of men who were working clearing the railroad tracks of the snow rushed to the scene and after considerable work succeeded in raising the animal and as the bottom of the bridge was open it was necessary to secure a number of planks to hold the horse to solid ground. The horse was pulled out

the planks and then, over a dozen men dragged the animal to the end of the bridge where he stood up and was led to Chapp's stable on Middlesex street. One leg was badly cut but the horse was able to limp slowly along.

According to witnesses of the runaway, a young man was holding the horse by the head while Mr. Garvey sat into the sleigh. A loud noise frightened the animal and in some way the man who had hold of the bridle lost his grip and the horse started at a rapid gait toward Middlesex street. In turning a corner the sleigh struck a curbstone and it was left behind while the horse continued along with only the shafts attached. Several persons who were on the street at the time narrowly escaped being struck as the horse sped by, but fortunately no one was injured. The horse went from Middlesex to Arch street and as the railing crossing was open he started down the tracks toward the School street crossing at full speed. When he reached the bridge about 200 yards from Middlesex street he sank in the trestle and struggled wildly to get free.

## IN POLICE COURT

Michael H. Lyman was sent to jail for ten days. Her two children were put in the hands of Agent Richardson of the Humane society.

Mary L. Lessard pleaded not guilty to the larceny of two skirts from Mary Gagnon. The latter testified that the defendant lived at her house and took two skirts from her room on Sunday. The defendant brought the dresses back in the following Wednesday.

It developed that the Lessard girl keeps company with the Gagnon woman's son. The defendant had the Gagnon man arrested last week and told Judge Enright that the man's mother issued the present warrant simply for spite. The defendant was in bad shape from drink and Judge Enright sent her to jail for a month to get straightened out.

**Trouble at Lodging House.**  
Louis Charland raised a rumpus in a lodging house along Officer Kenney's beat last night and the latter brought him to the station. The man who keeps the lodging house and the defendant had quite an interesting argument in court this morning. After hearing both sides of the case Judge Enright ordered the charge of drunkenness filed on condition that the defendant immediately locate in another apartment.

Clarence E. Bragden, a parole man from the state farm was sent back to that institution. Thomas Moss was sent to jail for three months on his third offence for drunkenness and John Galvin was committed to the same place for his fourth offence on the same charge. Galvin's term was also three months.

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Fred C. Church carried the insurance on the building of Elizabeth S. Curran, 178 Smith street, and the stock of the grocery store in the name of Albert E. Booth, damaged by fire last night.

There will be an anniversary mass for Mrs. Bridget Twombly Saturday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Peter's church.

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## SHIP CONTRACT

Naval Supply Vessel to be Built at Charlestown Navy Yard

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—The navy department yesterday afternoon formally announced that it had awarded the contract for the new naval supply ship to the Charlestown navy yard.

Before publicly announcing the award the navy department privately informed the mayor of its action, on account of his activity in seeking to get the contract for Boston.

When the mayor heard the news, he said: "Another campaign pledge fulfilled."

The building of the ship means the expenditure of about \$1,225,000 in labor and material and the steady employment of about 2000 men, most of whom are now laid off.

FALL RIVER, Feb. 18.—The plant of the Fall River Evening Herald Publishing Co. on Pleasant street was badly damaged by fire this morning. The blaze originated in the press room and these quarters, together with the stereotyping department, suffered extensively from the great volume of water that was poured into the lower stories to prevent the blaze spreading. The damage is estimated at \$10,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

## BURNETT BILL AGAIN

SENATE IMMIGRATION COMMITTEE RESUMES CONSIDERATION OF THE MEASURE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Facing presidential veto of the Burnett immigration bill should it pass congress with the literacy test provision incorporated in it, the senate immigration committee today resumed consideration of the measure. The prospects were for a lively session for despite President Wilson's opposition to the much discussed tenor of the provision, members of the committee were inclined to retain the feature in the bill as it passed the house.

Word that the president would exercise his veto prerogative in event the bill was received by him with the literacy test provision, came as a great surprise to committee members. They had been under the impression that while he did not favor the feature he would sign the bill if it passed congress.

Now, however, the practical certainty of veto awaiting the bill should it be passed with the literacy test provision has served to complicate the situation and members of the committee were prepared to thresh it over when they met today.

## HORSE KILLED BY STORM

VALUABLE TROTTER TOSSED TO DEATH ON BOARD SHIP—HORSES SOLD AT N. Y. AUCTION

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Peter Brilken, 2101-4, a six-year-old stallion by Peter the Great, brought \$5000, the highest price at the opening day yesterday of the mid-winter horse auction of Madison Square garden. He was sold to the syndicate stable of Syracuse, N. Y.

Thirty-one two-year-old trotters from J. V. Harkness' Walnut Hill farm, Kentucky, brought \$10,960. Senator David Ford of Youngstown, O., paid \$1500 for the top lot, Cox, a 2-year-old colt out of Selva J. 2101-2, one of the fastest daughters of Peter the Great, 2101-4, 15 of whose colts are to be sold today.

The Peer, 2157-6, listed as the second horse to be killed in a storm which killed the Peer and destroyed the animal of many horses and destroyed the animal of many horses and destroyed the animal of many horses.

## WILD DUCKS STARVING

THOUSANDS ARE DYING OF HUNGER—LONG ISLAND RESIDENTS WARE TROOD OVER ICE

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The pitiful spectacle of thousands of wild ducks dying of hunger has aroused the residents of Sayville, Islip, Rockaway and other Long Island towns on the great south bay to action and daily they are taking large quantities of food over the ice-covered bay to the fowl.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 18.—George E. Downing, popularly known as "Doc Needles," died at his home here at the age of 51. Death, which occurred last night, was due to a complication of diseases. For years he was prominent in sporting and theatrical circles and at one time toured the country in a theatrical production with John B. Sullivan.

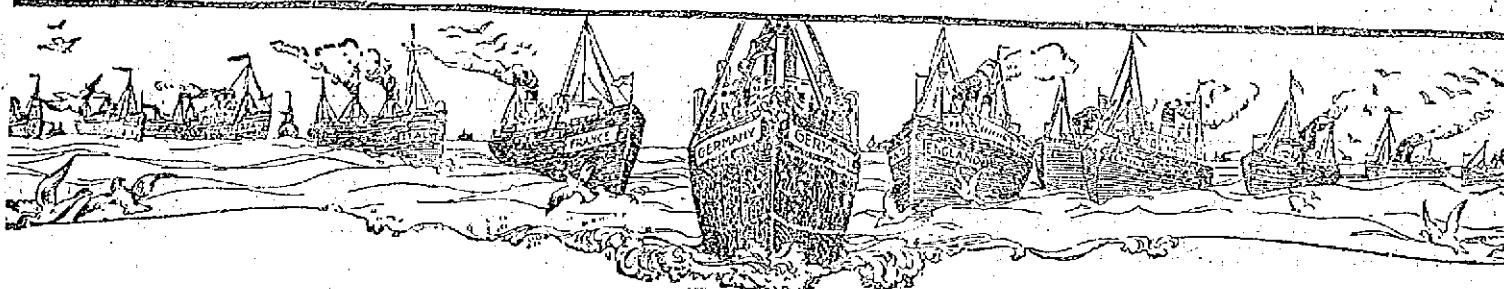
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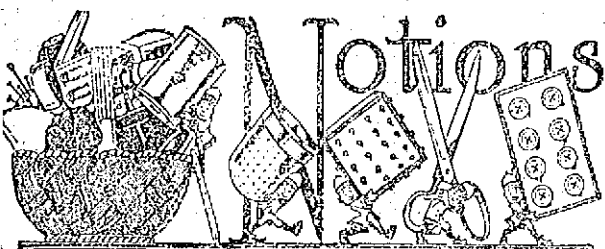
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Madam Lloyd's, Brass Pins, nickel plated, fine finish. Value 10c paper. 4c Paper

"Defender" Safety Pins, nickel plated, all sizes. 1 dozen on card. Value 5c card. 3 for 5c

"Clinton" Safety Pins, all sizes, nickel plated. 1 dozen on card. Value 5c card. 10c Card

Invisible Hair Pins, 50 in box, assorted sizes. Value 6c. 1c Box

Assorted Belt Pins, large size, assorted sizes and sizes. Value 10c. 5c Sheet

Elastic Corset Laces, 3 yards long. Value 5c. 2 for 5c

Tape Measures, full size, brass tipped. Value 5c. 1c Each

Stocking Darners, enamel finish, all colors. Value 5c. 3c Each

Sanitary Belts, well made, all sizes. Value 20c. 9c Each

Sanitary Aprons, fine quality, pin-on style. Value 20c. 14c Each

Sanitary Napkins, best quality, 1 dozen in box. Value 25c. 14c Box

"Smart Set" Hooks and Eyes, all sizes, black and white. 2 dozen on card. Value 5c card. 2 for 5c

Atlas Hooks and Eyes, all brass will not rust, all sizes, black or white. Special ad. 3c Card

## HOSE SUPPORTERS

"Tom Boy" Brand Hose Supporters, good quality webbing, black or white, all sizes. Value 10c-15c a pair. 7c Pair

Women's Pad Garters, silk finish, large pad, all colors, rubber tipped fasteners. Value 25c pair. 14c Pair

Invisible Collar Supports, silk covered, all heights, washable. Value 10c. 6c Card

Merrick's "Gift Edge" Darning Cotton, best made, black, white and tan. Value 5c ball. 3 for 5c

Vienna Elastic, half oval, good quality, black or white, all widths. Value 3c yard. 4 Yards for 5c

English Twilled Tape, 10 yard pieces, black or white, at widths. Value 10c. 7c Piece

24 Yard White Cotton Tape, good quality. Value 10c piece. 7c Piece

Cube Pins, full count, black or white. Value 5c. 2 for 5c

Hair Pins, assorted sizes, full size bunch. Value 1c bunch. 3 for 1c

Little Beauty Invisible Hair Pins, large box, assorted sizes. Value 5c box. 2 for 5c

Hair Pin Cabinets, large size, assorted style pins. Value 10c box. 7c Box

## HOOKS AND EYES

"DeLong" Hooks and Eyes, the genuine make—See that "Hump" All sizes, 2 dozen on card, black and white. Value 10c. 6c Card

"Regent" Linen Finish Thread, all numbers. Value 8c spool. 4 for 5c

"Warrior" Linen Finish Thread, 100 yard spools, black or white. Value 5c spool. 3c Spool

Dressmakers' Sewing Silk, fine quality, large spool, black only, all sizes. Value 25c. 14c Spool

Pearl Buttons, superfine quality, fish eye style, good sizes. Value 15c-20c card. 9c Card

Crochet Buttons, finely made patterns, 3 sizes, white only. Value 2c card. 9c Card

Taffeta Silk Seam Binding, "Sterling" brand, full width, 9 yard pieces. Value 17c. 9c Piece

"Calmac" and "Ashro" Collar Supporters, 6 on card, slipstitch style, all heights. Value 5c card. 2 for 5c

Veriflight Dress Shields, fine quality, sizes 2, 3, 4. Value 15c. 7c Pair

Silk Covered Dress Shields, plain and fancy covering, guaranteed quality, all sizes. Value 25c. 11c Pair

Angora Dress Binding, black, black only, 4 yard pieces, best quality. Value 10c. 7c Piece

Elastic Shirtwaist Belts, white or black, assorted sizes. Value 15c. 7c Each

Mercerized Darning Cotton, silk finish. Value 5c ball. 3 for 5c

"Franko" Brand Dust Caps, good quality, Dutch style, assorted patterns. Value 10c. 7c Each

Tonate Style Pin Cushions, 2 sizes. Value 10c. 4c Each

Grandma's Flatiron Waxing Pad, perforated, large size. Value 5c. 3c Each

Asbestos Ironing Pads, good quality covering, large size. Value 5c. 2c Each

Shoe Laces, tubular weave, double tipped, all lengths. Value 10c dozen. 7c Dozen

Shoe Laces, good quality, all lengths. Value 5c dozen. 3c Dozen

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10,000 Spools King's Soft Finish Spool Cotton—Black or white, all numbers; value 3c spool. Extra Special, 6 for 10c

"So-No-More" Snap Fasteners—All sizes; black or white; value 5c dozen. Extra Special, 2 doz. 5c

Black Sewing Silk—For machine or hand sewing; all numbers; value 5c spool. Extra Special, 4 for 5c

Pearl Buttons—Good quality; various sizes; 1 dozen on card; value 3c card. Extra Special, 1c card

White Crochet Buttons—Nicely made; new pattern; 3 sizes; value 20c card. Extra Special, 9c card

"Brighton" Baste Cotton—500 yards; all numbers; value 5c. Extra Special, 3c spool

White Rose Soap—Excellent for the toilet or bath; value 5c cake. Extra Special, 2 for 5c

Williams' Shaving Soap—Round shaped barber bar; value 8c. Extra Special, 4c bar

Medicated Toilet Paper—1000 sheets; large package; fine quality; value 10c package. Extra Value, 4 for 25c

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## TOILET SOAPS

Jergens' Peroxide Bath Soap, large cake. Value 15c. 7c Cake

Pears' Unscented Soap, the best made. Value 25c cake. 11c Cake

Woodbury's Facial Soap, finely medicated. Value 25c. 17c Cake

Cuticura Soap, the genuine make. Value 25c. 18c Cake

Jergens' Violet Glycerine Soap, delicate violet odor. Value 15c. 8c Cake

Lettuce Cream Soap, value 5c. 3c Cake

Guest Room Size Violet de Parne Soap, four cakes in box; value 15c box. 9c Box

Jergens' Savon Violet and Jergens' odor Toilet Soaps. Value 25c. 14c Cake

Pumice Soap, for removing grease or stains from hands. Value 5c. 3c Cake

Stanley's Barber Bar Shaving Soap. Value 5c. 2c Bar

Oatmeal and Buttermilk Soap, large cake. Value 5c. 3c Cake

Pearl Soap, white floating soap, for bath or toilet. Value 5c cake. 3 for 10c

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Peroxide of Hydrogen, "Per-man-co" brand, full government test, high grade. 16 oz. size. Value 25c. Special at 14c Bottle

Jergens' Oriental Talcum Powder, Coryopsis odor. Value 20c. 9c Can

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Witch Hazel, finest distilled, full strength, 15 per cent. Alcohol grade. 1 lb. size. Value 25c. Special at 16c Bottle

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Holmes' Fragtilla, the genuine make. Value 25c. 16c Bottle

"Menon's" Violet and Borated Talcum Powder. Value 25c. 14c Jar

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"Laco" Castile Soap, the genuine imported Spanish Castile. Value 10c cake. 2 for 15c

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1 Jar Jergens' Tooth Powder.  
1 French Bristle Tooth Brush.  
Value of both 45c. Both for 24c

30c Combination 15c  
1 Jar Jergens' Coryopsis Talcum Powder.  
1 cake Jergens' Violet Glycerine Soap.  
Value of both 30c. Both for 16c

40c Combination 19c  
1 bottle Dr. Meritt's Liquid Powder.  
1 Silk Sponge for applying powder.  
Value of both 40c. Both for 15c

30c Combination 15c  
1 large Chamomile Skin Powder.  
1 can Sweetland Violet Talcum Powder.  
Value of both 30c. Both for 16c

50c Combination 25c  
1 can Williams' Talcum Powder.  
1 cake Williams' Shaving Soap.  
Value of both 50c. Both for 17c

50c Combination 25c  
1 can Sanitol Tooth Powder.  
1 genuine French Bristle Tooth Brush.  
Value of both 50c. Both for 29c

40c Combination 20c  
1 bottle Peroxide of Hydrogen, 16 oz. size.  
1 bottle West Indian Bay Rum, 8 oz. size.  
Value of both 40c. Both for 23c

45c Combination 22c  
1 bottle Witch Hazel, 8 oz. size.  
1 bottle best Florida Water, 8 oz. size.  
Value of both 45c. Both for 29c

Whisk Brooms, fine quality, with two sizes and styles. Value 25c. 14c Each



Value of both 45c. Both for 27c

\$1.75 Combination 95c  
1 Hot Water Bottle, 2 quart size.  
1 Rubber Syringe, complete with tube and pipes.  
Value of both \$1.75. Both for 95c

Jergens' Peroxide Bath Soap, also Geranium, Orange, and Elderflower odors. Value 15c cake. 2 for 15c

"Laco" Castile Soap, the genuine imported Spanish Castile. Value 10c cake. 2 for 15c

## COMBS AND BRUSHES

Dressing Combs, good quality bone or black rubber. Value 15c to 15c. 7c Each

Black Rubber Fine Tooth Combs, superior quality. Value 15c. 7c Each

"Keep-Clean" Hair Brushes, fine bristle, aluminum face, solid back, mahogany and ebony finish. Excellent 50c value. 24c

Genuine French Bristle Hair Brushes, solid back, superior quality, ebony and mahogany finish. Value \$1.00. 49c

Highest Grade French Bristle Hair Brushes, selected quality, genuine ebony backs. An actual \$1.50 value. 95c Each

Japanese Bristle and Fibra Nail Brushes, assorted styles. Value 15c and 10c. 9c Each

High Grade Bristle Hand Scrub Brushes, superior quality, assorted sizes and shapes. Value 20c and 25c. 13c Each

Fine French Bristle Tooth Brushes, fine quality, assorted shapes and sizes, plain or perforated backs. Value 25c. 14c Each

Highest Grade Nail and Hand Brushes Combined, ebony and oak finish. An excellent 50c value. 29c Each

Whisk Brooms, fine quality, with two sizes and styles. Value 25c. 14c Each

## OPERA COMPANY QUILTS

REFUSED TO SING AT CUT PRICE AND POLICE SEIZED PROPERTY AND EFFECTS

DENVER, Feb. 18.—Alleging that the local manager by cutting \$750 from his guarantee of \$1000 a performance did not leave sufficient funds to pay salaries, the management of the National Opera company of Canada refused to appear here tonight.

In default of the performance, Clair J. Hickey, commissioner of public safety, seized the property of the company and the personal effects of the

members of the company to indemnify the audience.

F. D. Hawkins, the local manager, said he made the reduction because one of the leading singers was not with the company.

## NAVAL APPROPRIATION

HOUSE NAVAL COMMITTEE HAS BEFORE IT TENTATIVE DRAFT OF BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The house naval affairs committee had before it today a tentative draft of the annual naval appropriation bill as prepared

by its sub-committee, a feature of which provides for the dissolution of the navy department's bureau of equipment on July 1 next.

The tentative bill makes no provision whatever for a dry dock on the Atlantic coast as recommended by the navy department.

The bill would provide not exceeding \$500,000 for an enlarged powder factory at Indian Head, Md., together with \$250,000 for other purposes there. It also appropriates \$1,150,000 for purchase and manufacturing of smokeless powder, \$100,000 for engineering officers and crews of foreign vessels at the Panama-Pacific International exposition next year under the president's invitation.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## MERR'K RIVER PROJECT

AT STATE HOUSE YESTERDAY—ANOTHER HEARING

Hon. James M. O'Donnell, Secretary John H. Murphy of the Lowell board of trade and Jesse D. Crook, appeared before the harbor and lands commission at the state house yesterday in support of the Merrimack river navigation project.

After discussing at length the proposed work, the Lowell committee conferred with the members of the harbor and land committee as to the hearing scheduled for Feb. 20 on the same subject. It was agreed that the hearing would be an informal one and that a final hearing would be held early in March.

## THANKS MAYOR MURPHY

Frank Young, International organizer for the Machinists' union, has written a letter to Mayor Murphy thanking him for using his influence in obtaining a train for the workmen of the B. & M. R. shops at Billerica, and in his letter Mr. Young states he will bring this matter to the attention of his organization.

## ALASKAN RAILROAD BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Detailed consideration of the Alaskan railroad bill was resumed in the house today with administration leaders confident that a final vote was near at hand. Debate on the measure has been closed

## ALL N. Y. BANKS JOIN

EVERY NATIONAL INSTITUTION IN CITY AGREES TO WORK UNDER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—All of the 33 national banks in this city have signified their intention of working under the new federal reserve system. The National Park and Fifth National banks, the last to reach a decision, yesterday signified their intention of joining.

# THE GILBRIDE COMPANY

Women's 16  
Button Pure  
Silk Gloves—

Regular price  
\$1.25. Mill  
End Sale  
Price

59c



59c yd. Mer-  
cerized Dam-  
ask—

72 in. wide,  
15 patterns to  
choose from.  
Mill End Sale  
Price—

35c

Yard

HERE COMES THE LOCKHART "MILL-END" SALE, THE BIGGEST EVENT IN MERCHANDISING KNOWN TO OUR CITY.

IT IS A WORLD-WIDE MOVEMENT.

HE STARTS HERE

## Tomorrow Morning at 9 o'Clock

Mr. Lockhart's name is known everywhere on account of his own original ideas and the immense success of his business. Any person who draws false conclusions about the Lockhart Sale deliberately runs a dead line across the path of economy and common sense that leads up to the very door of every home. The biggest and best manufacturers were universally interested the first time they ever heard of Mr. Lockhart and his plan of combining the best stores in the big cities, one in each city, and for him to go personally from city to city and hold retail sales in those special big stores on New SHORT-LENGTHS and LEFT-OVER LOTS. A very clever idea, said the mill-owners; 'twill be a howling success, said they all. These Mill-Ends contain the most precious dry goods jewels sense and science can manufacture, for the mills cut the end off of every piece they make. Folly and not wisdom is guiding you, if you miss the first day of this sale. People known as real adroit shoppers, are very careful buyers; they come every season and about every day.

### MILL END SALE OF

#### WOMEN'S COATS

Women's Coats in all the leading shades, regular price \$17.50. Mill End Sale Price.....\$5.00  
Women's Black Coats, plain and rough materials, regular price \$22.50. Mill End Sale Price.....\$10.00

### MILL END SALE OF

#### WOMEN'S DRESSES

Women's Dresses, blue and black serge, regular price \$7.98. Mill End Sale Price.....\$3.98  
Women's Pongee Dresses, regular price \$10.98. Mill End Sale Price.....\$3.98  
Women's Silk Dresses, blue, black, brown and ecru, regular price \$12.50. Mill End Sale Price.....\$6.98

### MILL END SALE OF

#### FURS

Black Belgian Hare Sets, regular price \$20.00. Mill End Sale Price.....\$12.50  
Jap. Mink Muffs, regular price \$15.00. Mill End Sale Price.....\$6.98  
Scarfs, in brown and black, regular price \$10. Mill End Sale Price.....\$4.98

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Petticoats and House Dresses

Women's One-Piece Percale House Dresses, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price.....50c  
Women's Messing Petticoats, in all colors, regular price \$2.49. Mill End Sale Price.....\$1.79  
Women's Black Satteen Petticoats, regular price 40c. Mill End Sale Price.....29c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Women's and Children's Knit Underwear

Women's Vests, low neck, sleeveless, 12 1-2 inch value. Mill End Sale Price.....6 1-4c  
Women's Union Suits, in regular and out-sizes, wide bottom and cuff knee, 50c and 59c value. Mill End Sale Price.....39c  
Children's Pileed Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, 50c value. Mill End Sale Price.....39c  
Children's Pileed Vests and Pants, 35c value. Mill End Sale Price.....19c  
Boys' Bullfinch Shirts and Drawers, 25c value. Mill End Sale Price.....15c Each

### MILL END SALE OF

#### BEDS and BEDDING

We Have a Complete Line of Brass and Iron Beds and Our Prices for This Sale Will Represent Great Money Savings.  
White Enamel Beds, continuous post, extra heavy, regular price \$6.00. Mill End Sale Price.....\$3.95  
White Enamel Beds, curved top rails, regular price \$7.00. Mill End Sale Price.....\$4.95  
White Enamel Beds, continuous posts, brass trimmed, regular price \$5.50. Mill End Sale Price.....\$3.95  
White Enamel Beds, extra strong, brass trimmed, regular price \$10.00. Mill End Sale Price.....\$6.95  
White Enamel Beds, fancy scroll tops, brass trimmed, regular price \$12.00. Mill End Sale Price.....\$7.95

### MILL END SALE IN

#### CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Children's Rompers in pink and blue checks, sizes 2 to 6 years, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price 25c  
Infants' Wool Bands, regular price 29c. Mill End Sale Price.....15c  
Infants' Long Slips, made of good quality, regular price 50c. Mill End Sale Price.....39c  
Infants' Bonnets, all sizes, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price 19c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Crash by the Yard

6 1-4c Cotton Crash. Mill End Sale Price.....4c  
7c Cotton Crash. Mill End Sale Price.....4 1-2c  
10c Unbleached Linen Crash. Mill End Sale Price.....7 1-2c  
15c Bleached Linen, warranted pure linen. Mill End Sale Price, 12 1-2c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Early Morning Leaders

37c Mercerized Damask, best American make, 72 inches wide. Mill End Sale Price.....35c Yard  
40c Mercerized Damask, 61 inches wide. Mill End Sale Price.....29c  
5c Face Cloth. Mill End Sale Price, 12 for 25c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Cotton Wash Goods

Plain Silk Muslin, navy blue, tan, slate and brown, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price.....8c  
Figured Mercerized Duck, soft finish, regular price 15c. Mill End Sale Price.....12 1-2c  
Yard Wide Percales, light or dark colors, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price.....7 1-2c  
Outing Flannel, light or dark colors, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price.....7 1-2c  
Hales and Zephyr Gingham, regular price 12 1-2c and 15c. Mill End Sale Price.....10c  
Plain Pongee, very fine, regular price 17c. Mill End Sale Price.....10c  
Mellon Flannel, regular price 12 1-2c. Mill End Sale Price.....9 1-2c  
Prints, all light colors, regular price 6 1-4c. Mill End Sale Price.....4c  
Prints, gray, blue and light colors, regular price 7c. Mill End Sale Price.....5c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### AXMINSTER RUGS

Axminster Hugs, 13x36, regular price \$11.25. Mill End Sale Price 99c Each  
Axminster Rugs, 27x54, regular price \$27.50. Mill End Sale Price, \$17.99 Each  
Axminster Rugs, 36x72, regular price \$15.00. Mill End Sale Price \$9.98 Each

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Sheets and Pillow Cases

100 Dozen Full Size Bed Sheets, of good bleached cotton, with one and three inch hems, subject to slight imperfections, regular price 40c. Mill End Sale Price.....25c Each  
200 Dozen Full Size Bed Sheets, made of good quality bleached cotton. No imperfections. One and three inch hem, regular price 50c. Mill End Sale Price.....39c Each

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Hodges Fiber Matting

3000 yards of Hodges Fiber Matting, 36 inches wide, all colors, values up to 40c a yard. Mill End Sale Price.....19c Yard  
400 yards of 36 inch Matting, slightly damaged. Mill End Sale Price, 10c Yard

### MILL END SALE OF

#### MATTRESSES

Soft Top Mattresses, 1 or 2 parts, regular value \$2.50. Mill End Sale Price.....\$1.75  
Soft Top and Bottom Mattresses, reversible, extra heavy tick, regular value \$4.00. Mill End Sale Price \$2.75  
Combination Mattresses, rattan, fiber filling, eastern tick, regular value \$5.00. Mill End Sale Price.....\$3.75  
All Fiber Mattresses, soft top, bottom and sides, very fine tick, regular value \$6. Mill End Sale Price \$4.50  
All Cotton Mattresses, selected cotton filling, fancy tick, regular value \$7.50. Mill End Sale Price.....\$5.95  
Silk Floss Mattresses, guaranteed best quality silk floss, and full weight, regular value \$13.00. Mill End Sale Price.....\$10.95

### MILL END SALE OF

#### BED SPRINGS

National Bed Springs, fully guaranteed, all sizes, regular price \$3.50. Mill End Sale Price.....\$2.25

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Sheets and Pillow Cases

50 Dozen Sheets, 12x36 inches excellent quality of bleached cotton and seamless, regular price 90c. Mill End Sale Price.....69c  
75 Doz. Pillow Slips, size 42x36 inches, excellent quality cotton, regular price 11c. Mill End Sale Price, 4 for 25c  
12 1-2c Pillow Slips, 42x36 inches, subject to slight imperfections. Mill End Sale Price.....10c Each

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Pattern Table Cloths and Napkins to Match

\$1.00 Hemstitched Table Cloths, two yards long, mercerized satin finish. Mill End Sale Price.....99c Each  
\$1.50 Hemstitched Table Cloths; three yards long, mercerized satin finish. Mill End Sale Price.....79c  
\$2.50 All Linen Hemstitched Table Cloths. Mill End Sale Price \$1.25

### MILL END SALE OF

#### NAPKINS

50 Dozen Mercerized Napkins, regular price 10c each. Mill End Sale Price.....3 1-2c Each  
\$1.50 Strictly All Pure Linen Napkins, in good assortment of patterns. Mill End Sale Price.....\$2.50  
\$5.00 Dinner Size Napkins, very best designs. Mill End Sale Price \$3.00

### MILL END SALE OF

#### WHITE GOODS

500 Yards of Long Cloth and Fancy Pique, regular prices 15c and 20c. Mill End Sale Price.....12 1-2c Yard  
10c Checked Dimities, 27 inches wide. Mill End Sale Price.....10c Yard

### MILL END SALE OF

#### DECORATIVE LINENS

200 Dozen Scarfs, Squares and Doilies. Size scarfs 18x54 inches, squares 30x30 inches, doilies 30 inches. Beautifully embroidered and trimmed with torchon lace. Mill End Sale Price.....2 for 25c  
50c Scarfs and Squares to match. Beautifully embroidered and trimmed with torchon lace. Mill End Sale Price.....25c Each  
\$1.00 Scarfs and Squares, fifty per cent. linen, beautifully embroidered and trimmed with torchon lace. Mill End Sale Price.....39c Each

### MILL END SALE OF

#### WANTED NOTIONS

21 Yard Pieces White Tape, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price 6c  
Hooks and Eyes, black and silver, with Pest's eyes, 2 dozen on card, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price.....2c  
John J. Clark's Spool Cotton, regular price 1c. Mill End Sale Price.....2c  
Sewing Silk, all colors, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price.....4c  
Basting Cotton, regular price 3c. Mill End Sale Price.....2c  
Safety Pins, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price.....2c  
Common Pins, regular price 3c. Mill End Sale Price.....1c  
Pearl Buttons, regular price 7c. Mill End Sale Price.....4c  
Black and White Headed Pins, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price 2c  
Tape, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price.....3c  
Collar Supporters, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price.....3c  
Darning Cotton, regular price 3c. Mill End Sale Price.....1c  
Feather Stretched Braid, regular price 7c. Mill End Sale Price.....4c  
Spring Fasteners, all sizes, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price 7c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### DRESS GOODS

36 inch Poplins, desirable for Spring wear, all colors, including evening shades, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price.....25c Yard  
Your choice of all our Serges, Panamas, Plaids and Mixed Weaves, 36 to 42 inches wide, all wool, regular price 60c. Mill End Sale Price.....49c Yard  
Remnants of all our winter stock, including Serges, Panamas, Batistes, Homespuns and Mixtures, from 1 1-2 to 4 yards in each piece, prices range from 12c to \$1.50 a yard.  
Now Half Price

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Fine Lace All-Overs and Tucked Nets

Lengths run from one-fourth to three-fourths of a yard, values from 75c to \$1.50 per yard. Mill End Sale Prices.....10c and 15c Piece

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Muslin Underwear

Good Covers, with yoke of torchon lace and two rows of ribbon run, regular price 19c. Mill End Sale Price.....12 1-2c

### Muslin Underwear

#### Continued

Corset Covers of good quality nainsook, variety of lace and embroidery combined with fancy beadings and medallions, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price.....29c  
Women's Drawers of cambric, with hemstitched ruffle, regular price 10c pair. Mill End Sale Price, 2 Pcs. 25c  
Women's Drawers with deep ruffle of embroidery and cluster of tucks or edge, regular price 20c. Mill End Sale Price.....25c Pair  
Drawers of fine quality cambric and cluster of tucks, with deep ruffle of Swiss embroidery, regular price 30c. Mill End Sale Price 39c Pair  
Women's Night Robes of nainsook, chemise style, edged with lace and ribbon run, regular price 50c. Mill End Sale Price.....39c  
Night Robes of cambric or nainsook, long and short sleeves, in a variety of lace and embroidery trimmed. Mostly samples and only a few of each pattern, regular price 60c. Mill End Sale Price.....50c  
Night Robes in empire or kimono style, also high neck, long sleeves, with yoke of embroidery, shadowed or torchon lace, wide beadings and medallions, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price.....79c  
Women's Night Robes of cambric or nainsook, with yoke of tucks, two rows of insertion edged with nainsook embroidery, sizes 19 and 20, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price.....79c  
Long White Skirts with ruffle of embroidery, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price.....25c  
White Skirts with 18 inch flounce of Swiss embroidery, slightly soiled, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price.....79c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Women's and Children's GLOVES

Women's Pure Silk Gloves, 15 button length, French woven tips, in white, black, pink and blue, regular price \$1.25. Mill End Sale Price.....59c Pair  
2-Clasp, Fine Quality Kid Gloves, in black, white and tan, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price 59c Pair  
1-Clasp Heavy Cape Gloves, tan shades, Priz seam sewn, and Imperial point backs, regular price \$1.25. Mill End Sale Price 79c Pair  
16-Button White Kid Gloves, regular price \$3.00. Mill End Sale Price, \$1.79 Pair.  
Droken lots of 2-Clasp Pure Silk Gloves, double tipped fingers, regular price 50c. Mill End Sale Price.....29c Pair  
2-Clasp Cashmere Gloves, in black and colors, regular price 25c. Mill End Sale Price 15c, 2 Pairs for 25c  
Children's Wool Golf Gloves, black and colors; also astrachan mittens, kid palms, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price.....19c Pair

### MILL END SALE OF

#### JEWELRY

Coin Purses and Vanity Cases in German silver and gun metal, with long or short chains, regular price 50c and 75c. Mill End Sale Price.....39c  
Hair Barettes, in shell and amber, assorted styles and sizes, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price 6c  
1 lot of Jewelry consisting of Belt Buckles, Vell Pins, Beauty Pins, Brooches, Snap Pins, worth up to 50c each. Mill End Sale Price 4c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Men's, Women's and Children's Hosiery

Women's Black Cotton Hose, double soles, heel and toe, 12 1-2c quality. Mill End Sale Price.....9c, 3 Pairs for 25c  
Women's Black Cotton Hose, double soles, heel and toe, 15c quality. Mill End Sale Price.....2 Pairs 25c  
Children's Lisle Ribbed Hose, double heel and toe, 15c quality. Mill End Sale Price.....2 Pairs 25c  
Children's Black Cotton Hose, 1x1 ribbed, double soles and double knees, 12 1-2c quality. Mill End Sale Price.....4 Pairs 25c  
Men's Wool Hose, natural and camel hair, 25c quality. Mill End Sale Price.....2 Pairs 25c  
Men's Silk Lisle Hose, in all colors, 25c quality. Mill End Sale Price, 2 Pairs \$2.50  
Men's Cotton Hose, medium weight, double soles, 19c quality. Mill End Sale Price.....2 Pairs 25c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Women's and Children's HATS

\$1.00 to \$2.00 Untrimmed Shapes. Mill End Sale Price.....25c  
\$2.50 and \$5.00 Untrimmed Shapes. Mill End Sale Price.....87c  
\$1.00 to \$3.00 Fancy Foulhairs. Mill End Sale Price.....25c  
\$2.50 Fancy Ostrich Pieces. Mill End Sale Price.....99c  
Assorted Flowers. Mill End Sale Price.....8c  
Hat Frames. Mill End Sale Price 7c  
\$1.00 Colored Velvets. Mill End Sale Price.....65c Yard  
Trimmed Hats. Mill End Sale Price.....\$1.00  
Assorted Millinery Ribbons. Mill End Sale Price.....16c Yard  
Trimming Novelties. Mill End Sale Price.....14c  
Other Millinery Mill End Items on sale not mentioned in our circular.  
HATS TRIMMED FREE

### MILL END SALE OF

#### WAISTS

Percale Waists, made of good quality percale, in assorted colored stripes, with roll back collar and French cuffs. Good value. Worth 60c. Mill End Sale Price.....25c  
Lingerie Waists, buttoned back, with long sleeves and embroidery fronts, very neat. Worth 70c. Mill End Sale Price.....39c  
Tailored Waists, in selvage, gingham and percale, in long and short sleeves, with new faced collar, in assorted colored stripes and all white. Others in long sleeves and high soft tailored collars, made of natural colored linen, and white lined. Worth 95c. Mill End Sale Price.....79c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### TOILET GOODS

1 Pound Bottle Peroxide of Hydrogen, regular price 25c. Mill End Sale Price.....10c  
Crushed Rose and Violet Talcum Powder, 1 pound cans, regular price 15c. Mill End Sale Price 8c  
Jelly of the Valley Soap, 3 cakes in a box, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price.....7c a Box  
Tooth Brushes, in an assortment of styles and sizes, regular price 10c and 25c. Mill End Sale Price 10c



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DOORS OPEN

8.30

Our 5th Pennant Day.

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PENNANT DAY

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8.30--TODAY--8.30

Our Once a Month Bargain Day—This time you have a double chance to save money. Our goods are marked way down on account of our REMOVAL SALE and then on top of that we are running Pennant Day. You all know the bargains we have given in the past on that day, and we have to keep up that record. The prices on all our goods are terribly low, so come in and look the goods over.

CHILDREN'S DEPT.

\$1.00 to \$2.00 Bonnets. Pennant Day 39c

Balance of all our winter bonnets, plush, velvet and felt.

50c and 75c Bonnets. Pennant Day 19c

All our white silk bonnets lined, slightly soiled.

\$1.00 to \$2.50 Dresses. Pennant Day 79c

Infants' and children's white lawn dresses, lace and Hamburg trimmed, slightly soiled.

50c to 69c Sweaters. Pennant Day 19c

Children's and infants' sweaters, white and blue, white and pink, all white, soiled.

15c Hose. Pennant Day 4 for 25c

Children's and infants' hose, cotton and cashmere, in tan, white, black, plain and ribbed, 1-2 to 10.

MUSLIN DEPT.

25c Corset Covers. Pennant Day 14c

Allover Hamburg corset covers, all sizes.

\$2.50 Long Skirts. Pennant Day \$1.19

Long white skirts with or without dust ruffle, for stout persons, also Hamburg ruffle.

50c Brassieres. Pennant Day 29c

Ladies' brassieres, made of best quality cotton, reinforced arm sizes, all sizes.

\$1.00 Crepe Gowns. Pennant Day 31c

Ladies' crepe cotton gowns, trimmed with tulle lace, about 2 dozen left.

HOUSEWEAR DEPT.

25c Turkish Towels. Pennant Day 2 for 25c

Large size Turkish towels, all perfect, white.

15c Towels. Pennant Day 3 for 25c

Large size Huck towels, all white, a few Turkish.

\$1.00 and \$1.50 Battenbergs. Pennant Day 59c

Large and medium size scarfs and table covers, soiled on counter.

50c and 75c Battenbergs. Pennant Day 31c

Good assortment of bureau scarfs, table covers, in battenberg, lace and white linen.

\$1.00 to \$2.00 Curtains. Pennant Day, Pair 79c

A few odd pairs curtains, also a few pairs soiled, extra values.

NOTIONS

10c and 15c Garters. Pennant Day 4c

Children's Garters in black, blue, pink and white.

10c Tooth Brushes. Pennant Day 4c

Good quality tooth brushes, assorted handles.

5c Tooth Picks. Pennant Day 3c

Large size box of tooth picks, good quality.

25c Colgate's Powder. Pennant Day 10c

Best quality Colgate's talcum powder.

ALARM CLOCKS

\$1.00 Alarm Clocks. Pennant Day 39c

Good alarm clocks, nickel plated.

5c Needle Cases. Pennant Day 2 for 5c

A large hook with 4 paper needles, also darning and floss.

5c Pin Cushions. Pennant Day 2 for 5c

Pin cushions, made of red satens, apple and Tomato styles.

CLOAKS AND SUITS

75c Women's, Misses' and Juniors' Fall Coats, 3-4 and full lengths, in all sizes, including the famous Wooltex materials, up to \$32.50. All go at... \$7.77

150 Women's and Misses' Fall Suits, in a big array of materials and sizes, including the famous Wooltex make, up to \$25. All go at... \$9.77

75c Odd Fall Coats for Women and Misses, in 3-4 and full length coats, value up to \$12. All go at... \$2.77

250 Skirts of serge and other fine materials, in a fine array of styles, in all the latest effects, for women and misses, values from \$3.50 to \$5, at \$2.77

100 Street and Party Silk Dresses for Women and Misses, in fine crepes, silk, poplins and other fine materials, in all the latest styles and effects, values ranging from \$12 to \$18, at \$8.57

50 Dozen Silk Waists which speak for themselves, all sizes and colors, values up to \$3.98. All go at... 97c

MEN'S DEPT.

100 Serge Dresses for immediate and spring wear, for women and misses, divided in two big lots, values up to \$10, at \$1.97 and \$3.47

Ladies' 25c Neckwear marked down to... 7c

Furs, Sets and Separate Scarfs and Muffs reduced 50% from regular prices.

25 Men's Fancy Long Convertible 88 Overcoats, in gray and brown, rib cheviot, serge lined, 32 in., 34 to 46 size. Pennant Day \$4.75

50 Men's \$6.50 Suits in fancy cheviot, gray and brown and black, 34 to 40 size only. Pennant Day \$3.89

75 Pairs of Men's \$1.50 Cotton, Worsted and a few cassimere Pants, 32 to 42 waist. Pennant Day 89c

50 Pairs of Men's Heavy Corduroy \$2.00 Pants, in light drab. Pennant Day \$1.50

Men's \$4.00 Brown Canvas Coats, sheepskin lined. Pennant Day \$2.29

Men's \$6.50 and \$7.00 Corduroy Coats, sheepskin lined, wind shields in sleeves. Pennant Day \$5.00

BOYS' DEPT.

50 Boys' Double Breasted Suits in gray striped cheviot, good heavy lining, sizes 7 to 15, that sold for \$2.60. Pennant Day 98c

SWEATERS

Men's \$5 and \$6 Sweaters. Pennant Day \$3.29

Men's Heavy Shaker Knit Sweaters, Byron, ruff and V neck, in all colors, with or without pockets.

Men's \$4.00 Sweaters. Pennant Day \$2.59

Men's All Wool Shaker Knit Sweaters, in all styles and colors.

Men's \$2 and \$3 Sweaters. Pennant Day \$1.59

Men's Light and Shaker Knit Sweaters, in all styles and colors.

NECKWEAR

Men's 50c Neckwear. Pennant Day 25c

All our Four-in-Hand Ties, in plain and fancy colors, all pure silk.

Men's 25c Neckwear. Pennant Day 13c

All our Four-in-Hand Ties, in silk and velvet reversible and open ends.

HOSIERY

Men's 50c Silk Half Hose. Pennant Day 25c

Men's Silk Half Hose, double heel, sole and toe, in all colors and sizes.

GLOVES

Men's \$1.50 and \$2 Kid Gloves. Pennant Day \$1.15

Men's Genuine Perin's Unlined Kid Gloves, either dress or street wear.

Men's 50c Working Gloves. Pennant Day 23c

Men's Working Unlined Canvas Gloves, in calfskin and oil tan.

HAT DEPT.

Men's \$3 Soft and Stiff Hats. Pennant Day \$2.10

All the well known brands of soft and stiff hats in this lot.

Men's 25c Winter Caps. Pennant Day 19c

Men's Heavy Fur Inside Band Caps, in plain and fancy.

MEN'S SHIRTS

Men's \$1 and \$1.50 Shirts. Pennant Day 79c

Men's Neglige Shirts, in madras, percale and soisette, in neat stripes and figures, laundered cuffs and coat style.

Men's 75c and \$1.00 Shirts. Pennant Day 50c

Men's Neglige Shirts, in percale and soisette, laundered or soft French cuffs, broken sizes.

Men's 50c Shirts. Pennant Day 37c

Men's Neglige Shirts, in percale, light and dark patterns, all new spring designs.

UNDERWEAR

Men's \$1.50 and \$2 Underwear. Pennant Day 79c

Men's Scarlet Underwear, double and single-breasted, broken sizes.

Men's \$1.50 Underwear. Pennant Day 79c

Men's Lamb Wool Underwear, double and single breasted, slightly soiled, broken sizes.

SHOES

MEN'S SHOES

Men's \$2 and \$2.50 Shoes. Pennant Day \$1.50

Gun metal, Russia calf and vic kid bluchers and button style.

Men's \$1.25 Overshoes. Pennant Day 90c

Roller edge or plain sole, one buckle article.

Men's \$1.00 Slippers. Pennant Day 65c

Black and tan kidskin and felt slippers.

SHOES

LADIES' SHOES

Ladies' \$3.50 Shoes. Pennant Day \$2.25

Patent colt and dull calf button boots, Cuban and Kidney heel.

Ladies' \$2 and \$2.50 Shoes. Pennant Day \$1.39

Button and blucher shoes with kid or cloth top, high and low heel.

SHOES

LADIES' SHOES

Ladies' \$1.25 Shoes. Pennant Day 65c

Lace and button boots, in odd lots and small sizes.

Ladies' 75c and \$1.00 Slippers. Pennant Day 45c

Felt slippers, in plain and fancy colors.

Ladies' \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shoes. Pennant Day 90c

Comfort shoes made of soft kidskin, in low and high cut.

Ladies' 50c Rubbers. Pennant Day 35c

Storm and low cut, in all sizes, high and low heels.

SHOES

GIRLS' SHOES

Ladies' 50c Rubbers. Pennant Day 17c

Sizes 2 1-2, 3 and 3 1-2, low cut and storm.

GIRLS' SHOES

Girls' \$1.50 School Shoes. Pennant Day 95c

Gun Metal Shoes made on Nature shape last in all sizes up to 2.

Girls' \$1.00 Slippers. Pennant Day 45c

Red Felt Juliette, ribbon trimmed, leather sole.

SHOES

GIRLS' SHOES

Girls' 40c School Rubbers. Pennant Day 25c

Storm Rubbers in all sizes up to 2.

Children's \$1.00 Shoes. Pennant Day 49c

Patent Colt Button Boots, dull kid top.

Children's 25c Shoes. Pennant Day 10c

Odd lot of Children's Shoes, soft and hard soles.

SHOES

BOYS' SHOES

Boys' \$1.75 Shoes. Pennant Day \$1.25

Double Sole Heavy Kangaroo Blucher Shoes. All sizes up to 5 1-2.

Boys' \$1.25 Shoes. Pennant Day 95c

Button and Blucher in Gun Metal, also Sample Shoes in large sizes, in all leathers.

Boys 50c Rubbers. Pennant Day 39c

Plain Rubbers in all sizes up to 6.

PRISONER IN BATH TUB

NEW BEDFORD, Feb. 17.—A \$1000 fire in the Corson building at 7.15 o'clock this morning destroyed the effects of A. S. Todd, teacher of classics in the high school, while he was in the bathtub and cut him off from his clothes. Mr. Todd wrapped himself in a raincoat and was found by the firemen fighting the flames with F. L. Gilbert, principal of the Parker grammar school, who was clad only in a union suit.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

BATES IS INSANE

HAVERHILL, Feb. 17.—Lord M. Bates was adjudged insane by Judge John J. Winn today and ordered committed to the insane hospital at Westboro. Following the introduction of letters in which Bates called himself a supreme being, Doctors Anthony and Croston reported to Judge Winn that Bates was a proper subject for treatment and the court adjudged him insane. The criminal complaints against Bates and Mrs. Rose G. Manning were filed. The Bates family will be taken to Boston by relatives.

BISHOP WALSH AT ROME

ROME, Feb. 17.—The Right Rev. Louis S. Walsh, bishop of Portland, Me., was received in a farewell audience by the pope today.

Man Killed in Explosion

in Mixing House of Powder Co.

BLAIRSVILLE, Penn., Feb. 17.—With a roar that was heard 25 miles away, the mixing house of the West Penn Powder Co., located at Tunnelton, six miles from here, was blown to pieces by an explosion today. Robert Cougherty was killed and another workman mortally injured. Two other men employed at the plant could not be found. A telephone message from near the plant soon after the explosion said the plant had taken fire and was burning.

OFFICERS OF THE MONROE

EXAMINATION CONTINUED BEFORE U. S. STEAMBOAT COMMISSIONERS TODAY

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17.—Examination of officers of the steamer Monroe, sunk by the Nantuxet off the Virginia coast on Jan. 35 with the loss of 11 lives, was continued today before the United States Steamboat inspectors who are trying Capt. Osmyr Berry of the Nantuxet, charged with negligence. John H. Porteus, chief engineer of the Monroe, testified to what the engine of the ship was doing that night. He expressed the opinion that some of the passengers did not get out of their rooms before the ship sank.

CHASE JACK FROST OUT DEAD IN SNOWDRIFT

BACKBONE OF THE COLD SNAP IS ABOUT TO BE BROKEN—RELIEF FROM BRITISH NORTHWEST

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The backbone of the cold snap which has held the east in a grip of discomfort and suffering for the last three days, is about to be broken. The relief comes from the British northwest and in the parlance of weather sharps is known as a "depression." Pushing and rolling its bulk southward it already has caused rising temperatures in the Missouri, upper Mississippi and lower Ohio valleys and by tomorrow its warming influences will be chasing Jack Frost out to sea off the Atlantic coast.

EDWARD TOWNSEND, EDITOR OF NASSAU COUNTY REPUBLICAN, FOUND IN FRONT OF HOME

GARDEN CITY, L. I., Feb. 17.—Edward Townsend, editor of the Nassau county Republican, was found dead in a snowdrift today in front of his home here. He had apparently become exhausted while struggling through the snowdrifts last night and had fallen just as he reached his gate. He was 55 years old and weighed nearly 300 pounds.

MURDERER HANGED

CALGARY, Alberta, Feb. 17.—William Jasper Collins, who confessed he killed John T. Benson, a farmer for whom he worked, but who later repudiated the confession, was hanged in the jail here early today.

Benson's house near Cereval, was burned two years ago and his charred body was found in the ruins.

SENTENCED TO DEATH

CONVICTION OF LEO FRANK FOR MURDER OF 14-YEAR-OLD GIRL AFFIRMED

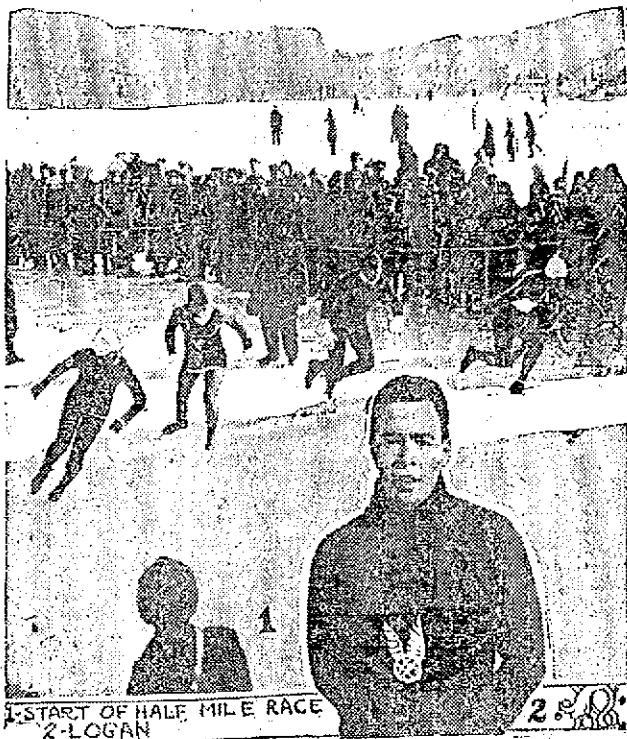
ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 19.—The conviction of Leo Frank of Brooklyn, N. Y., for the murder of Mary Phagan, a 14-year-old factory girl, was affirmed today by the supreme court of Georgia. He is under sentence of death.

DIED AT AGE OF 101

COLLINSVILLE, Conn., Feb. 17.—At the age of 103 years Mrs. Kate Knutson died last night. She was born in Russia.



# MONTREAL SKATER WHO IS CAPTURING PRIZES IN U. S.



START OF HALF MILE RACE  
2-LOGAN

Robert L. Logan, the Canadian racing skater, is performing brilliantly in American contests. He won three titles at the Newburg (N. Y.) meet on the Hudson river. Logan is a member of the Montreal Athletic association. The illustration shows the start of the one-half mile championship race at Newburg. Logan is at the right, wearing a white cap.

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# \$12.50

## 50 DRIVEN OUT BY FIRE MISS HANAN WEDS DUKE

TENEMENT DWELLERS GIVEN BAD FRIGHT BY FIRE IN A DOSTON BUILDING

BOSTON, Feb. 17.—Tenement dwellers on Norton street, a narrow alley in the North End, were given a bad fright today when fire broke out in a three story brick building. Seven families, totalling more than 50 persons and including many children, were aroused by the police and all escaped, some by the hallways and some by fire escapes. The loss did not exceed \$1000.

DAUGHTER OF LATE JAS. H. HANAN MARRIED TO DESCENDANT OF AN OLD FAMILY IN ITALY

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Elizabeth Francis Hanan, daughter of the late James H. Hanan was married to Duke Don Arturo De Majo Durazzo of Italy, in St. Thomas church at noon today. The bridegroom is a descendant of one of the oldest families in Italy.

## AVIATOR WAS DROWNED

LIEUT. J. McMURRAY LOST HIS LIFE WHEN HIS AEROPLANE PLUNGED INTO PENSACOLA BAY

PENSACOLA, Fla., Feb. 17.—Drowning caused the death of Lieut. J. McMurray of the navy aviation corps when his hydro aeroplane plunged into Pensacola bay. This was established today. At first it was thought he had been killed by an explosion of the engine or by injuries sustained in his fall. An examination by physicians showed his body to be almost unmarked by the accident. Officials of the naval station said death was doubtless due to his inability to free himself from the floating wreckage.

## DR. AKED STAYS AS HEAD

SAN FRANCISCO CHURCH FEDERATION VOTED NOT TO ACCEPT RESIGNATION

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—By a vote of 74 to 19 the San Francisco Church Federation refused last night to accept the resignation of the Rev. Charles V. Aked, pastor of the First Congregational church, as its president. Doctor Aked has rejected the orthodox belief regarding the divine birth of Christ.

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Get a 55 cent bottle of Dandruffine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

## A Sufferer

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## RUBE WADDELL DYING \$29,000,000 W. U. STOCK DETAILS OF EVERS CASE PARLIAMENTARY SCANDAL WILL OF MRS. MANNING

THE FAMOUS BASEBALL PITCHER IN SERIOUS CONDITION AT SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 17.—Rube Waddell, the famous baseball pitcher, formerly in the major leagues, who is in the hospital here suffering from a bronchial affection, was reported today in a serious condition. Rube was brought here recently from Boerne, Texas.

MOREYNOLDS NOTIFIED OF INTENTION TO UNDERWRITE STOCK NOW OWNED BY AM. TEL. & TEL.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Attorney General McReynolds said today he had been apprised in advance of the intention of financial syndicate to underwrite \$25,000,000 Western Union stock now owned by the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. He said he saw no objection to the plan as outlined to him and understood it was intended to carry out the recent agreement with the department of justice.

FINISHING TOUCHES WILL BE MADE AT NATIONAL LEAGUE MEETING SATURDAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Gov. Tener of Pennsylvania president of the National league has called an adjourned session of the National league and an adjourned meeting of directors of the league to be held at Hotel Stilton, Cincinnati, next Saturday at 2 o'clock. The final details of the transfer of former Second Baseman John Evers of the Chicago club to the Boston club will be completed at that time.

IN CONNECTION WITH PURCHASE OF MARCONI SHARES, WAS RE- VIVED TODAY

LONDON, Feb. 17.—The recent parliamentary scandal in connection with the purchase of Marconi shares by members of the British cabinet was revived today in the house of lords, together with the whole question of the secrecy of party funds and the purchasing of titles of nobility. Lord Murray of Elibank, who a short time ago returned from Central America, where he had acted as the agent for the projects of Lord Cowdray, made his first appearance in the upper house, where he gave a statement of his dealings in American Marconi shares before he was ennobled and while he was the chief liberal whip in the house of commons. He said that when he had purchased the American Marconi shares he was convinced that the American company had nothing to do with the British government contracts and was distinct from the English Marconi company. Looking back now, he said, he thought it might have occurred to him that his action might be open to criticism. He concluded: "I deeply regret I did not give the matter more consideration and view it from all possible aspects. It was an error of judgment and not of intention."

WOMAN WHO WAS KILLED BY MISS HERDMAN LEFT ALL TO HUSBAND

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 17.—The will of Mrs. Carrie Manning, who was killed two weeks ago by Hazel Herdman, a girl of 20, madly in love with Charles I. Manning, was filed today. It was dated prior to the entrance of Miss Herdman into the domestic life of the Mannings and provided that all the wife possessed should go to the husband.

## FIND BODY ON GRAVE

20 YEAR OLD GIRL WAS MURDERED AND HER BODY WAS DRAGGED INTO CEMETERY

AURORA, Ill., Feb. 17.—Tracy Holm, a prepossessing 20 year old girl, was murdered late last night, and her body dragged into a cemetery and was thrown onto a grave, where it was found today. She was beaten to death with a heavy club. The police have arrested Anthony Pedros, a discarded sweetheart of the girl.

## SHARP FIGHTING IN HAITI

POLICE AND SOLDIERS GLASH CAUSING PANIC AMONG THE INHABITANTS

PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti, Feb. 17.—Sharp fighting between the police stationed at headquarters and the soldiers in the capital occurred this morning, causing a panic among the inhabitants. The authorities made strong efforts to restore order but at 10 o'clock the disturbance still continued.

## Editor Tells How D. D. D. Prescription Cured His Eczema

Clergyman and Banker Also Write How They Secured Relief, Thanks to D. D. D.

I, G. H. H. H., Editor Echo, Prophetstown, Ill.: Remember, mine was eczema of fifteen years standing. Now I am completely healed, after 4 bottles of D. D. D. I have seen a case of 25 years standing cured. I have seen my own doctor cured of barber's itch, which he could not cure himself. I, E. H. H. H., Banker, Hunkington, Ia.: I treated with three doctors for six months. They did me no good; my face and body were full of the disease. I applied D. D. D. Result—my face is as smooth as a baby's. Rev. L. I. Downing, Pastor 5th Ave. Presbyterian Church, Roanoke, Va.: For three years I suffered intensely so have at last found relief in D. D. D. I am no longer tortured—completely cured. I have no hesitation in recommending the great virtues of this specific. The cures of D. D. D. are past belief. All eczema knov and are glad to recommend this soothing, cooling liquid. Come to us and we will tell you more about this remarkable remedy; and the efficient D. D. D. Soap. We offer the first full size bottle on the guaranteed that unless it does as is said, your money will be refunded. You alone to judge. A. W. DOW'S & CO., DRUGGISTS

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## Stock Market Closing Prices, Feb. 17th

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

| NEW YORK MARKET |         |         |         | BOSTON MARKET       |         |         |         |
|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------------------|---------|---------|---------|
|                 | High    | Low     | Close   |                     | High    | Low     | Close   |
| Amal Copper     | 76 1/2  | 76 1/2  | 76 1/2  | Boston Elevated     | 53 1/2  | 53 1/2  | 53 1/2  |
| Am Can          | 31 1/2  | 31 1/2  | 31 1/2  | Bos & Maine         | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  |
| Am Can pf       | 32 1/2  | 32 1/2  | 32 1/2  | N Y & N H           | 70 1/2  | 69 1/2  | 69 1/2  |
| Am Can & F      | 52 1/2  | 51 1/2  | 51 1/2  |                     |         |         |         |
| Am Hld & L pf   | 23 1/2  | 23 1/2  | 23 1/2  | MINING              |         |         |         |
| Am Smelt & R    | 68 1/2  | 68 1/2  | 68 1/2  | Allouez             | 12      | 11 1/2  | 11 1/2  |
| Anaconda        | 37      | 36 1/2  | 36 1/2  | Areadian            | 4       | 4       | 4       |
| Atchafalpa      | 93 1/2  | 93 1/2  | 93 1/2  | Arizona Con         | 5 1/2   | 5 1/2   | 5 1/2   |
| Balt & Ohio     | 21 1/2  | 21 1/2  | 21 1/2  | Cal & Arizona       | 55 1/2  | 55 1/2  | 55 1/2  |
| By Rap Tran     | 92 1/2  | 92 1/2  | 92 1/2  | Cal & Hecla         | 145     | 145     | 145     |
| Canadian Pa     | 21 1/2  | 21 1/2  | 21 1/2  | Centennial          | 18      | 18      | 18      |
| Cent Leather    | 34 1/2  | 34 1/2  | 34 1/2  | Chino               | 42 1/2  | 42 1/2  | 42 1/2  |
| Cent Leather pf | 100 1/2 | 100 1/2 | 100 1/2 | Copper Range        | 39 1/2  | 39 1/2  | 39 1/2  |
| Ches & Ohio     | 64 1/2  | 64 1/2  | 64 1/2  | Cuba                | 12 1/2  | 12 1/2  | 12 1/2  |
| Ches & Ohio pf  | 133 1/2 | 133 1/2 | 133 1/2 | Franklin            | 12 1/2  | 12 1/2  | 12 1/2  |
| Col Fuel        | 32 1/2  | 32 1/2  | 32 1/2  | Granby              | 87 1/2  | 87 1/2  | 87 1/2  |
| Del & Hud       | 154 1/2 | 154 1/2 | 154 1/2 | Indiana             | 54 1/2  | 54 1/2  | 54 1/2  |
| Den & R G pf    | 26      | 26      | 26      | Kerr Lake           | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  |
| Den Secar Co    | 19 1/2  | 19 1/2  | 19 1/2  | La Salle            | 12 1/2  | 12 1/2  | 12 1/2  |
| East            | 29 1/2  | 29 1/2  | 29 1/2  | Mass                | 3 1/2   | 3 1/2   | 3 1/2   |
| Eric Int pf     | 46 1/2  | 46 1/2  | 46 1/2  | Mayflower           | 8       | 8       | 8       |
| Gen Elec        | 129 1/2 | 129 1/2 | 129 1/2 | Mohawk              | 45 1/2  | 45 1/2  | 45 1/2  |
| Gen North pf    | 131 1/2 | 131 1/2 | 131 1/2 | Nevada              | 16 1/2  | 16 1/2  | 16 1/2  |
| Int Met Com     | 15 1/2  | 15 1/2  | 15 1/2  | Nipissing           | 6 1/2   | 6 1/2   | 6 1/2   |
| Int Met pf      | 61      | 61      | 61      | North Butte         | 30 1/2  | 30 1/2  | 30 1/2  |
| Int Paper Co    | 8 1/2   | 8 1/2   | 8 1/2   | Old Colony          | 4 1/2   | 4 1/2   | 4 1/2   |
| In S Pump Co    | 8       | 8       | 8       | Old Dominion        | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  |
| Kan & Texas     | 21 1/2  | 21 1/2  | 21 1/2  | Ray                 | 20 1/2  | 20 1/2  | 20 1/2  |
| Kan & T pf      | 50      | 50      | 50      | Shannon             | 7 1/2   | 7 1/2   | 7 1/2   |
| Lehigh Valley   | 150 1/2 | 150 1/2 | 150 1/2 | Superior            | 31 1/2  | 31 1/2  | 31 1/2  |
| Louis & Nash    | 135 1/2 | 135 1/2 | 135 1/2 | Superior Boston     | 37 1/2  | 37 1/2  | 37 1/2  |
| Louis & Nash pf | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  | Tamrack             | 10 1/2  | 10 1/2  | 10 1/2  |
| Misssippi       | 89 1/2  | 89 1/2  | 89 1/2  | Utah Cons           | 13 1/2  | 13 1/2  | 13 1/2  |
| N Y Central     | 99 1/2  | 99 1/2  | 99 1/2  | Whinnia             | 11 1/2  | 11 1/2  | 11 1/2  |
| Nor & West      | 104 1/2 | 104 1/2 | 104 1/2 | Wolverine           | 46 1/2  | 46 1/2  | 46 1/2  |
| North Pac       | 115 1/2 | 115 1/2 | 115 1/2 |                     |         |         |         |
| Out & West      | 112 1/2 | 112 1/2 | 112 1/2 | TELEPHONE           |         |         |         |
| Pennsylvania    | 110 1/2 | 110 1/2 | 110 1/2 | Am Tel & Tel        | 121 1/2 | 121 1/2 | 121 1/2 |
| Pressed Steel   | 45 1/2  | 45 1/2  | 45 1/2  | New Eng Tel         | 110     | 110     | 110     |
| Ry St Sp Co     | 32 1/2  | 32 1/2  | 32 1/2  |                     |         |         |         |
| Reading         | 167 1/2 | 167 1/2 | 167 1/2 | MISCELLANEOUS       |         |         |         |
| Rep Iron & S    | 26 1/2  | 26 1/2  | 26 1/2  | Am Pneumatic        | 37 1/2  | 37 1/2  | 37 1/2  |
| Rock Is         | 27 1/2  | 27 1/2  | 27 1/2  | Mass Gas            | 24 1/2  | 24 1/2  | 24 1/2  |
| Rock Is pf      | 11 1/2  | 10 1/2  | 10 1/2  | Miss Gas            | 24 1/2  | 24 1/2  | 24 1/2  |
| St Paul         | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 | United Fruit        | 17 1/2  | 17 1/2  | 17 1/2  |
| So Pac          | 92 1/2  | 92 1/2  | 92 1/2  | United Sh M         | 55 1/2  | 55 1/2  | 55 1/2  |
| Southern Ry     | 26 1/2  | 26 1/2  | 26 1/2  | United Sh M pf      | 28 1/2  | 28 1/2  | 28 1/2  |
| Southern Ry pf  | 39 1/2  | 39 1/2  | 39 1/2  |                     |         |         |         |
| Tenn Copper     | 36 1/2  | 36 1/2  | 36 1/2  | UNLISTED SECURITIES |         |         |         |
| Third Ave       | 44      | 44      | 44      | Alaska Gold         | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  |
| Union Pac       | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 | Am Ag Chem pf       | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  |
| Union Pac pf    | 84 1/2  | 84 1/2  | 84 1/2  | Am Woolen           | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  |
| U S Rub         | 60 1/2  | 60 1/2  | 60 1/2  | American Zinc       | 20      | 20      | 20      |
| U S Rub pf      | 101 1/2 | 101 1/2 | 101 1/2 | Butte & Superior    | 35 1/2  | 35 1/2  | 35 1/2  |
| U S Steel       | 60 1/2  | 60 1/2  | 60 1/2  | Isle Royale         | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  |
| U S Steel pf    | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 | Isle Royale         | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  |
| Utah Copper     | 56 1/2  | 56 1/2  | 56 1/2  | Swift & Co          | 107 1/2 | 107 1/2 | 107 1/2 |
| Wab R R pf      | 8 1/2   | 7 1/2   | 7 1/2   | U S Smelting        | 42 1/2  | 42 1/2  | 42 1/2  |
| Westinghouse    | 70 1/2  | 70 1/2  | 70 1/2  | U S Smelting pf     | 48 1/2  | 48 1/2  | 48 1/2  |
| Western Un      | 65 1/2  | 65 1/2  | 65 1/2  | Utah Apex           | 2 1/2   | 2 1/2   | 2 1/2   |
| Wh & L Erie     | 6       | 6       | 6       |                     |         |         |         |

| MONEY MARKET                                 |       |       |       | COTTON FUTURES                          |        |        |        |
|--|-------|-------|-------|---|--------|--------|--------|
|  | High  | Low   | Close |   | High   | Low    | Close  |
| NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Call money                | 1 3/4 | 1 3/4 | 1 3/4 | March                                   | 12 1/2 | 12 1/2 | 12 1/2 |
| steady 1 3/4-2 per cent; ruling rate         | 1 3/4 | 1 3/4 | 1 3/4 | May                                     | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 |
| 1 3/4; last loan 1 7/8; closing 1 3/4-1 1/2  |       |       |       | July                                    | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 |
| Time loans easy; 60 days 2 1/2-3 1/4;        |       |       |       | August                                  | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 |
| 90 days 2 3/4-3 1/4; six months 3 1/4-3 1/2; |       |       |       | October                                 | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 |
| Morantille paper 3 1/4-4 1/2; Sterling       |       |       |       | December                                | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 | 11 1/2 |
| exchange firm, 60 day bills 453 1/2; Gov     |       |       |       |   |        |        |        |
| demand 455 1/2; commercial bills 453         |       |       |       | COTTON SPOT                             |        |        |        |
| Bar silver 67 3/8; Mexican dollars 46 1/2    |       |       |       | Cotton spot closed, Middling Uplands    | 12 1/2 | 12 1/2 | 12 1/2 |
| government bonds steady; railroad            |       |       |       | 12 1/2. Middling Gulf 12 1/2. No sales. |        |        |        |
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## THE WORK TRAIN

The members of the board of trade and all others who have been instrumental in influencing the Boston and Maine railroad to provide a special work-train for the new car shop employees are to be complimented, for they have secured a concession that will react favorably on the city and will go far towards smoothing away the difficulties that have made the lives of the recent arrivals from Keene and Concord less pleasant than they had been in the New Hampshire communities which many of them left reluctantly. The hundreds of workers will now realize that the worst of their perplexities is over, for the transportation question was serious considering the severely cold weather and the inadequate service on the electric lines. Up to the present, the walk that had to be undertaken through more or less bleak territory, in going to or coming from work was sufficient to overbalance many of the advantages which the new shops offered to the employees.

Even from the selfish point of view the Boston and Maine has done wisely in providing the workers with a special train morning and evening. Those among them who prefer life in Lowell to the necessarily more restricted life of North Billerica will be enabled to live in the city, and their families will be able to enter into the business and social life of the larger community with its superior opportunities for business education and recreation. The greatest asset to any large corporation is loyal and satisfied employees, and by providing the special train, the Boston and Maine has gone far towards creating a desirable spirit among the men who toil daily at the great locomotive repair shops. The special train will also make it possible for the employees to reach their work promptly in the morning, and this has been practically impossible heretofore considering the weather conditions coupled with the inadequate car service.

The special train will also benefit the city, for it will ensure a greater proportion of the workers to Lowell than had intended to settle here originally. There may still be many who will prefer to settle in North Billerica, but those who will do so will not act from choice rather than necessity. The special train will make it as easy for those who live in Lowell to reach their work as though the new shops were located at Merrimack square.

The railroad has now done its part, and it remains for the city to leave nothing undone in meeting the new additions to our population with the proper spirit and making it possible for them and their families to settle down here with full satisfaction. The city has hundreds of good opportunities in homes and tenements, and though many of the first selections may be of a temporary nature, all who have come here can eventually find the type of dwelling which they desire. Owing to the new train there is no part of the city that is difficult of access, and there are some among the more skilled and high-salaried officials who would be glad to settle in the Highlands or Belvidere or other such location, were they shown the proper type of dwelling. Were such to get in touch with the board of trade they would undoubtedly be able to make a satisfactory selection of a future home.

The new arrivals are a welcome addition to our business, political and social life, and it is the duty of the city to provide them with advantages for home life, suitable tenements, schools and recreation as well as adequate transportation facilities. Anything done to aid the desirable workers of the new car shops will react later to the advantage of the city which has been signally honored by the presence of the car shop location and the settling here of so many valued additions to our population.

## CARRYING OF WEAPONS

The two fines of \$50.00 imposed by Judge Enright last Monday on the visitors from Lynn and North Wilmington respectively who were found guilty of carrying revolvers calls attention to the habit that unfortunately prevails among too many of our citizens—particularly those of foreign birth. Every little while the community is shocked by a shooting or a stabbing affray, and though these occurrences are not frequent, they would be far less so were the habit of carrying weapons discouraged. Few of the stabbing or shooting affairs that come before the local courts are the result of premeditation, but the principals carry around knives or revolvers at all times, and when some argument ensues, the weapon of itself suggests the crime—automatically almost. When these weapons are carried by those who indulge in drink, they almost invariably get them into serious trouble.

The cure for this condition is in a campaign of education which will impress on foreigners and others that the law-abiding American citizen has no need of knives and revolvers in the pursuit of his business or pleasure. It seems to be a racial custom with some militant people to go armed, and the stories of American hold-ups may have impressed on their receptive

minds the fancied necessity of being prepared for the worst at all times. Did they realize that our leaders in politics and business go through the streets without either dagger or gun they might be led to see the folly of a course that puts so many of them in the hospitals and in the jails.

Until the time comes when the carrying of arms will be discontinued in communities such as ours it is well that the authorities should be vigilant, and fines such as those recently imposed by Judge Enright cannot be considered excessive. It is not often that one who carries a gun or other weapon without a license can be apprehended before the commission of some shooting or stabbing, and when one such is caught, the law should do everything possible to discourage the indiscriminate carrying of weapons, by those not fitted by environment or temperament to go through our public streets armed.

## LETTERS FROM OTHER CITIES

It would be gratifying to realize that the many letters from the officials of other cities requesting information on the results of the commission form of government in Lowell, were prompted by the reputation of this city for efficient municipal government, but it is to be feared that they are rather the result of our recent undesirable advertising of everything connected with Lowell and its people. Could the correspondents come here personally and compare the advance made by Lowell under the new charter with its stagnation under the old form of government, they would be convinced of the comparative merits of the new system, but it is difficult to see how a letter from those responsible in great measure for our unsavory reputation throughout the state will be convincing. Were the present city government to allege that the new charter has been a benefit to the city, they would be explaining away the accusations made during the recent campaign, and were they to allege that Lowell has retrogressed, they would be discredited everywhere except where the campaign utterances of last December had gained credence.

These letters from distant cities ought to bring home to us once for all the importance of conducting clean and honorable political campaigns, free from the undesirable elements of malicious abuse, baseless accusations and dishonorable personalities that would lead a struggle to regard Lowell as a den of thieves. When so many of our leading citizens are engaged in spreading the fame of Lowell and making it attractive to those who may be contemplating residential or business changes, it is unfortunate that a few men should hold up our city as a hotbed of political corruption merely as a ruse to induce the people to elect new men in office.

## DEN GREET PLAYERS

When added to the artistic appeal of the Ben Greet players who will present "The Merchant of Venice" in this city next Tuesday evening is the humanitarian purpose of those who have made their presentation of the famous drama possible, there can be no doubt that the response of the Lowell public will be ready and that its liberal patronage is already assured. The summer playgrounds have been the means of giving health and happiness to hundreds of our children yearly, and their enthusiastic supporters have been untiring in the good work of raising the necessary funds. Apart from the merit of the performance, therefore, it is certain that hundreds of our people would attend any entertainment which aims at supplying the needs of the children, but when added to this is the reputation of Mr. Greet and his players, who give interpretations of Shakespeare in the Elizabethan manner, according to the highest dramatic and artistic traditions, it is certain that there will be an audience large enough to do justice to Lowell's artistic reputation as well as to its sense of public generosity and civic spirit.

## SECOND-CLASS MAIL

The Boston Globe, speaking of the claim of Postmaster-General Burleson that second-class mail matter does not pay the government sufficiently for its transportation, says:

"To assert that periodic rates do not pay their way in full from publishers is rather easy to say, but the statement, under the present system of postoffice accounting, is practically impossible. It remains to be established that second-class mail matter is carried at a loss."

It goes on to say that if the claim of the government can be substantiated, new rates should be adopted, based on accurate information. It wisely calls attention to the unjustness of the attitude of advocating rate reforms such as a one-cent letter rate while such an alleged abuse exists. Before any important change is introduced, the utmost efficiency should be established. When the postal department gives satisfactory service and demonstrates that it can be run at a profit, it will be time for other and

greater reforms, but until then, anything saving of reconstruction should be unopposed warily.

## FIRE WASTE

The official organ of the Boston chamber of commerce calls attention to the fact that in Boston last year the fire losses totaled \$1,000,000 worth of property and forty-one lives. It adds: "Practically every fire could have been prevented by the enforcement of reasonable regulations." With this in mind, the Boston chamber has introduced into the legislature a bill embodying some of the regulations which the fire department and board of trade of this city have been advocating locally with evident results.

## Seen and Heard

**HOW MUCH ARE YOU WORTH?**  
If you put up any old rags at one-fifty pounds.  
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So I to his statement defer!  
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And does not consider the value to his company would be agreeable, travel together the next day.  
Soon after the two had left the inn on the following morning Whitney caught them up and demanded their money.  
"O, no," the "padder" proceeded after they had both declared themselves to be fellow "collectors." "You, Messieurs Highwaymen, should have kept your secret a little longer and not have boasted of having outwitted a thief. There is no nothing for you but deliver or die."

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churches or schools? How could we expect any of them to be patriots?

## A SPARTAN REGIME

Unlabeled Gazette: What the primitive man effected through the stern discipline of stronger needs, we must learn to bring about consciously and purposely through a Spartan regime of self-control and self-denial which shall fit us for the growing strenuousness of our present mode of life. Tenacious in thinking and a good many other things are required by the man or woman who would meet the highest demands of the high pressure of modern existence.

## CIVIL PENSION SYSTEM

Salem News: Massachusetts has a fudge-podge civil pension system. It is full of crudities and rank, nothing like the pension system of any other state. The highest paid public employees have been picked out for pensioning, the payments in many cases totaling more than the yearly wages of private toilers. In the last analysis, to make the abuse the more glaring, the latter are taxed for the support in idleness of their far better advantaged contemporaries in former public employ.

## COMMUNICATIONS

### "BOY SCOUTS" vs. "MILITIA"

I have read with surprise the article written by "A Suburban Scoutmaster" in a recent issue of the Courier-Citizen. First, he claims the object of the boy scout movement is to carry the boy through the adolescent period of his life. That period is between the ages of 14 and 25, and the boy scout movement has only to do with the boy from 8 to 14 years old.

He also says: "Now I don't know how Adjutant General Pearson can ask the idea of universal peace. If he thinks that a boy scout should graduate quite naturally into the militia. That same dream of universal peace has posed as progress before, and the awakening has always come in the same old way, with somebody bigger, stronger, and rougher than the dreamer, bursting in the door and calling possession. He again states: 'All honor to the militia, though the goal of the boy must be true manhood and there must be no mistake.' Is there any doubt about the attainment of true manhood in the militia. Is there a better goal for the young man than a term of service in the National Guard, where he is broadened, taught real discipline and duty in its true reality, and true patriotism and love of country. To me it seems the American people need a tremendous amount of enlightenment, subjects military. Our enemies are asleep and awake, they do not hesitate to use every species of deceit and falsehood to forward their unpatriotic aims. He again says: 'We teach him patriotism because he must be patriotic, and love his country instead of boasting about it, and he must serve it by being a good citizen.'

The Citizen has only his dream. China smoked the smoke pipe of universal peace centuries ago; she said you must serve our cause, we are real patriots, and because she could not bring the world to her way of thinking she shot herself off from the rest of the world. Note the change today, she is drifting amidst and encouraging the minds of our growing youth, martial spirit. Her cycle has been completed there, but the price of her folly is not yet paid.

It was the dreamers and teachers of the "practical knowledge" who placed China where she has been since. Her practical knowledge began, and our practical patriotism asserted it, self.

The suburban scoutmaster has failed to see the broad meaning of the suggestion of the adjutant general. We must prepare for tomorrow, and how simple, how easy to instill that necessary preliminary military training in the minds of our growing youth, through the boy's brigades and, boy scouts, now essential to our country's integrity under adverse possibilities.

Teach him to be prepared, teach him love of country; teach him that the greatest honor that may come to him is to serve his country.

Would you hire the unskilled to operate your machinery? No—well the same applies to our country's service. It takes years of training to make good soldiers. Shades of those who perished from hunger and starvation at Valley Forge while congress engaged in polemic argument in Philadelphia, shades of the million youths who perished in the Civil war, the victims of our failure to train them as soldiers before the call to arms; shades of those thousands who died in 1898, murdered by the teachers, the doctrinaires and the politicians who derided the necessary preparation. Wait on these learned gentlemen and suggest that they have not read their histories, nor

assimilated the truths contained in their pages. May we not hope to be saved from the dangerous influence of the molly-coddle pacemakers who would give us a nation of so-called men devoid of the real spirit of manhood and patriotism that stands ever ready to defend right and liberty at any sacrifice and not only this, but stand always prepared to do so when ever the interests of the country require their service.

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IN SOCIETY.

"People are funny."  
"How now?"  
"In this Van Allyn divorce suit they divided \$25,000,000 amicably and then scrapped about the custody of a pug dog."



BETWEEN FRIENDS.

Hazel changed countenance when I taxed her with going to a beauty doctor.  
Of course. That's what she went to the beauty doctor for.



FAR FROM IT.

"The boys in my neighborhood broke a window last night."  
"The playful experience of youth, of course."  
"Nothing of the sort. It was my window."



BETWEEN FRIENDS.

My husband loved me at first sight. I understand that you met at a masquerade ball.



IMPROMPTU.

"So your wife read you a lecture when you got home last night."  
"Read it? No, it was quite impromptu."



TRUE.

It's a good idea when angry to count ten before you speak.  
True! Also when "fouled" to count a thousand before you lend.

## REAR ADMIRAL FISKE

LIKELY TO BE PROMOTED TO THE RANK OF VICE ADMIRAL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Rear-Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, U. S. N., will probably be one of the six rear admirals who will be promoted to the rank



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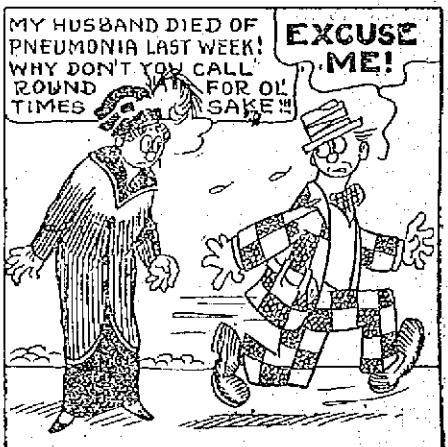
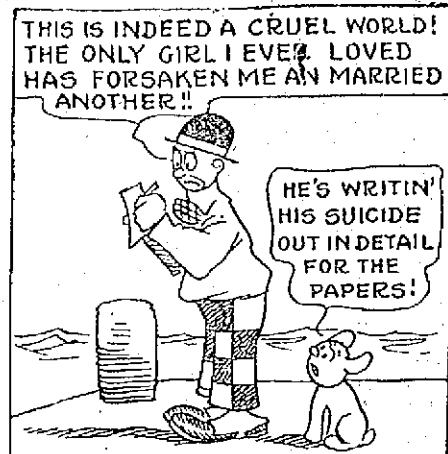
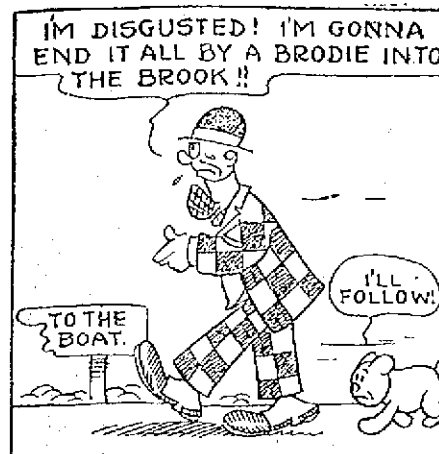
of vice admiral when the senate bill introduced by Bryan of Florida becomes a law. This bill was prompted by the fact that our rear admirals sent to Mexican waters are outranked by those of Great Britain and Germany.

many charming young women responded to the invitation to attend the ladies' night which was conducted under the auspices of this popular organization.

The evening's program was an elaborate one and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. The numbers consisted of basketball, whist and dancing. The basketball contest was between the C. Y. M. L. second team and the Sacred Heart, and the palm went to the former, the score being 26 to 12.

The whist tournament was a lively one and at the close of the game it was announced that John Neeson was the winner of the gentleman's prize, while Miss Elizabeth Quinn was the winner of the ladies' prize. The booby went to Edward Quinn and Miss Margaret Laffey. Dancing was then started and enjoyed till midnight, music being furnished by the C. Y. M. L. orchestra.

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Make checks payable to Playground Fund.

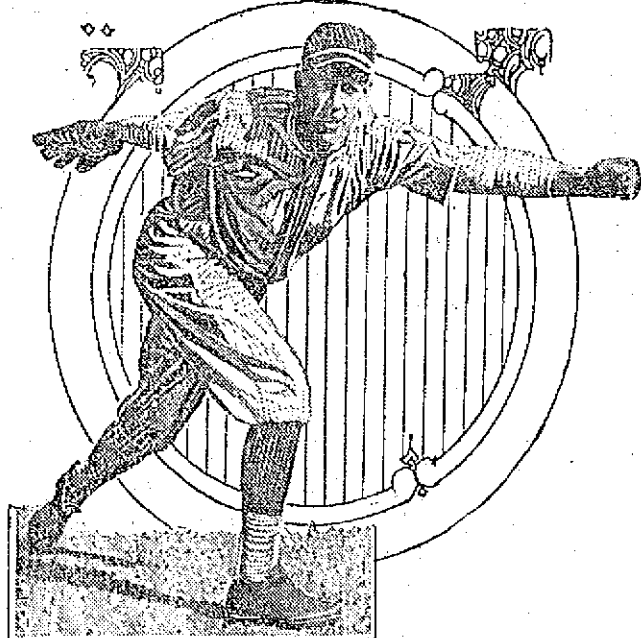
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to Look Her Best

## Suffering Spoils Beauty!

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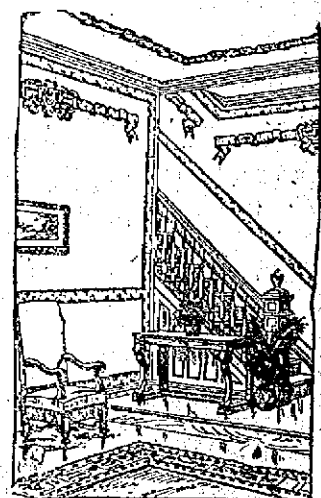
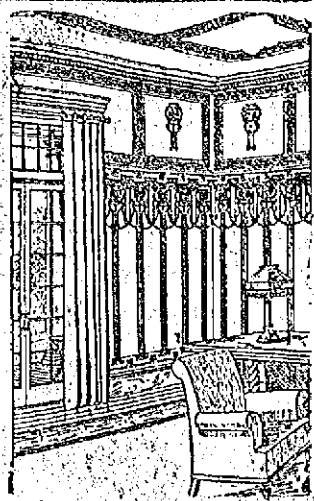
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LOCAL POLICE ARREST  
ALLEGED DESPERADOSSaid to Have Figured in Hold-Up  
in the City of Lawrence—Taken  
Thither by Lawrence Police

Louis Greenwood and Athanasie Verrier, aged 30 and 19 years respectively, were arrested this morning at 4.30 o'clock at the Colonial House on Colburn street by Officers Grenell and McMahon at the request of the Lawrence police. The two men, although young, are considered dangerous characters.

The two prisoners, together with three others, figured in a holdup in the downtown city last week which was one of the boldest acts of its kind that the Lawrence police have had to deal with in recent years.

A Lawrence storekeeper by the name of Giovanni Signores was held up by five men, brutally assaulted, and then robbed of \$227 in bills and coin which he was transferring from his cash drawer.

Both young men denied their identity when taken to the police station but when letters were taken from their pockets postmarked Lawrence they admitted that they came to Lowell from Lawrence. Further than this admission, however, they would not go and they stuck to the story that they had nothing to do with either the assault on the robbery.

As soon as he learned of the capture Supp. Welch got in touch with the Lawrence police and two officers were sent here for the purpose of identifying the prisoners. The officers were positive that the two men arrested at the Colonial House are the men they have been searching for and they took both of them to Lawrence.

In the face of this assertion by the police of Lawrence, Greenwood and Verrier both claim to their original story saying that they were innocent and that they could prove an alibi. Both will appear before the police court in Lawrence tomorrow morning charged with assault and battery and robbery. Two others of the gang were captured by the down river police.

Michael H. Lynam was sent to jail for ten days. Her two children were not in the hands of Agent Richardson of the Humana society.

Mrs. L. L. Lynam pleaded not guilty to the larceny of two shirts from Abby Gagnon. The latter testified that the defendant lived at her house and took two shirts from her room on Sunday. The defendant brought the dresses back on the following Wednesday.

It developed that the Lynam girl keeps company with the Gagnon woman's son. The defendant had the Gagnon man arrested last week and told Judge Bright that the man's mother issued the present warrant simply for spite. The defendant was in bed since then and Judge Bright sent her to jail for a month to get straightened out.

Trouble at Lodging House  
Louis Charland raised a rumpus in a lodging house along Oliver Kenney's last night and the latter brought him to the station. The man who keeps

LIVELY HEARING AT  
STATE HOUSE TODAY

ADJUT. GENERAL GARDNER W. PEARSON

## DIED OUT WEST

W. W. Riley Who Has  
Sister in Lowell Dead  
at WyomingThe following telegram was received  
this morning by Supp. Welch of the  
police department:

Guernsey, Wyo., Feb. 17.  
Chief of Police, Lowell, Mass.  
W. W. Riley who has married sister  
living in Lowell, died here yesterday.  
Sister's husband is contractor. If  
address and advise us as to remain.  
Margaret McNall  
Guernsey, Wyoming.

The police do not know the deceased  
or his family and thus far have gotten  
no trace of the sister, although every  
effort is being made to locate the re-  
lative of the dead man.

Burial place, Lincoln, Thurs. Miners.

## THE GORE CASE

Attorney for Senator At-  
tacks Mrs. Bond, the  
Plaintiff

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Feb. 18.—  
Termination of arguments and pleading  
of the case in the hands of the jury  
was expected here today in the trial  
of the damage suit of Mrs. Minnie  
Bond against Thomas P. Gore, United  
States senator from Oklahoma. The  
plaintiff asks \$50,000 from the senator  
as the result of an alleged attack made  
on her in a Washington hotel.

Robert L. Rogers, an attorney of  
Little Rock, Ark., today addressed the  
jury in the senator's behalf. He insisted  
that the senator in going to meet  
Mrs. Bond at her hotel was making no  
clandestine visit, that he had made it  
known before he left his office that he  
was going to the hotel to talk with  
Mrs. Bond.

Rogers contended that evidence in  
the trial showed that Mrs. Bond was a  
party to the alleged conspiracy against  
the senator and that she knew the mo-  
tive behind was political opposition to  
the senator.

"This woman," he exclaimed, "com-  
plains that on account of the publicity  
given the affair in the hotel she has  
been damaged \$50,000 worth. Who  
gave the affair publicity, gentlemen?  
She did, and the three men with her  
in the conspiracy."

Buffalo, Lincoln, Thurs. Miners.

If you want help at home or in your  
business, try The Sun "Want" column.Ayer's  
Sarsaparilla

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a tonic,  
a regular tonic. There is not  
a drop of alcohol in it. You  
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comes from a strong tonic.  
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On Bill to Reduce Term of Adju-  
tant General to One Year — Military  
Men Line Up for General Pearson  
Who Would Thus be Removed

A hearing on a bill making the ten-  
ure of office of the adjutant general  
one year instead of five years was  
held before the committee on military  
affairs at the state house this fore-  
noon. The bill was strenuously op-  
posed by friends of the present adjutant  
general, Gardner W. Pearson, of this  
city.

It will be remembered that two years  
ago, under Gov. Foss, the term of of-  
fice of the adjutant general was in-  
creased from one to five years. This  
change was made on the assumption  
that a term of one year did not give  
the adjutant general an opportunity to  
complete any specific plan or course  
that he might have in mind for the  
betterment of the militia, that one year  
did not suffice to carry out any con-  
tinued policy for the efficiency of the  
militia.

It was two years ago that the tenure  
of office was changed from one to five  
years and it was argued today by op-  
ponents of the bill that the adjutant  
general, who is a civilian, is as able,  
efficient and conscientious as any  
other man who ever filled the office  
of adjutant general in the com-  
monwealth of Massachusetts. Militia  
men told of the many splendid changes  
brought about by Adj. Gen. Pearson,  
and declared it would be a positive  
setback should Mr. Pearson in one year  
or two years be removed from office.

Opened for Petitioners.  
House Chairman Newhall, president  
and Rep. John W. Sherburne, major  
first battalion field artillery, opened  
for the petitioners. He said that a re-  
peal of the bill making the tenure of  
office of the adjutant general five years  
was necessary for the welfare of the  
militia. He said that nothing personal  
attached to the effort to repeal or  
amend the bill.

"The governor," he said, "is the ab-  
solute commander-in-chief and today  
every requisition from the state to  
the war department has the governor's  
signature, and he receives for every  
single article. The governor signs all  
commissions.

"The military establishment of the  
state is different than any other and  
when you made the tenure of office of  
the adjutant general five years, you  
went further than you did in any  
other case. The governor cannot dis-

charge the adjutant general. The  
only way he could be removed would  
be by court-martial. It is not a ques-  
tion of personality with me or others  
in favor of this bill, but a question  
of principle.

Room Was Too Small

Owing to the great number present  
it was necessary to remove from the  
military committee's room to room 436,  
a large heating room.

Having adjourned to the larger room,  
Rep. Sherburne resumed his argument  
in favor of the bill and referred to the  
very great necessity of hearty co-  
operation between the governor and the  
adjutant general.

General Cutting, commander of the  
6th infantry, said he could not im-  
prove upon what Rep. Sherburne had  
said: "I want to see the present bill  
amended," he said, "in order that the  
governor may have direct authority  
over the adjutant general."

Colonel Parker  
The next speaker in favor of having  
the bill amended was Col. James P.  
Parker. He said that the constitution  
of the United States provides that  
the secretary of war can be removed at  
any time by the president and the po-  
sition of adjutant general should be put  
on the same basis. The adjutant gen-  
eral should be something more than  
an adjutant general.

"He is the man who commands the  
militia or carries out the orders of the  
commander-in-chief—the governor.  
The responsibility is really on the  
shoulders of the governor and a policy  
that would take the authority out of  
his hands would be a poor policy. The  
members of the committee of the  
commander-in-chief in the adjutant  
general causes, a bad condition of af-  
fairs presents itself and the governor  
should have the power to remove the  
adjutant general."

Satisfied With Pearson

General Leroy Sweetser said that  
in his opinion Mr. Pearson had made  
a very fine adjutant general, but he  
believed he said that the governor  
should have the power to remove him.  
He said that sympathy between the  
governor and adjutant general was  
absolutely necessary. "If I were the  
governor," he said, "I would want the  
authority to appoint my adjutant

general—the right to appoint the man  
whom I believed would carry out my  
military policies."

General Sweetser said that if the  
bill was amended he would be per-  
fectedly satisfied if the governor should re-  
appoint Gardner W. Pearson.

Remonstrants Heard

Major Frank S. Elliott of the Eighth  
regiment, opened in opposition to the  
bill and called attention to the fact  
that the men favoring the bill were  
officers of the militia, but did not re-  
present the rank and file of the militia.

"The bill," he said, "that they were  
in favor of abolishing the tenure of  
office on general principles and I want  
to say that principle brings me here.  
I believe that the adjutant general  
should be given a longer tenure of  
office than one year. I have seen  
the militia grow and prosper and I  
am sure that it would be dangerous  
to insist upon a change in the office  
of adjutant general every year. One  
year does not allow the adjutant gen-  
eral sufficient time to formulate and  
carry to completion any plans which  
he might conceive for promoting the  
efficiency of the militia.

"The adjutant general couldn't get in  
touch with the details of the office in  
one year and the men who have been  
in the office of adjutant general but  
one year have not done anything to  
promote the efficiency of the militia."

Major Elliott asked the committee to  
apply the same method to their own  
personal business. He asked them that  
if they had a good superintendent or  
foreman if they thought it would be  
good policy to throw him out at the  
end of one year.

He said that all states having a  
yearly change in the office of adjutant  
general were weak in their militia  
and he read from military authorities  
advocating permanent policies brought  
about by permanent officers.

The Lowell men present at the hear-  
ing included Hon. James E. O'Donnell,  
John J. Devine, Robert E. Crowley,  
Hon. John H. Drury, John Burns, Harry  
Doherty, George Sanderson, Hon. John  
F. Mahan, Joseph Clark, John Davis,  
the local senator and representatives,  
captains of the local militia companies  
and others.

## Second Edition

FOR LATER LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC NEWS AND TODAY'S  
STOCK MARKET REPORT SEE NEXT EDITIONVANDERBILT HOME  
DESTROYED BY FIRE\$1,000,000 Loss by Blaze in the  
Summer Residence of Mrs. Wm.  
K. Vanderbilt, Jr.

JERICHO, L. I., Feb. 18.—The coun-  
try home of Mrs. William K. Vander-  
bilt, Jr., valued with its furnishings  
and art treasures at nearly \$1,000,000,  
was destroyed today by fire. The only  
occupants were a caretaker and ser-  
vants left to look after the property.  
The caretaker attributed the blaze to  
an overheated furnace. The fire de-

## LINERS COLLIDE STRIKE INQUIRY

Celtic of White Star  
Line and Madonna of  
Fabre Line Damaged

NAPLES, Italy, Feb. 18.—The White  
Star liner Celtic collided with the  
Fabre liner Madonna (here today) and  
both vessels were seriously damaged.  
The Madonna's anchor chain was bro-  
ken and she suffered considerable injury  
to the top of her stern and stern. She  
was unable to leave for New York for  
which port she was to have departed  
today, with a large number of emi-  
grants.  
She has been hooked for repairs.  
The Celtic was seriously damaged on  
the counter, but is believed to have  
been only slightly injured below the  
water. She also was bound for New  
York.

## CONDITIONS IN MEXICO

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Masao  
Hanahara, under secretary of state in  
Japan, is expected here tomorrow or  
Friday from Mexico City, where he has  
been on a special mission observing  
conditions. Because of his long ac-  
quaintance with American affairs, he  
has been here when he was first secretary  
and charge of the embassy, officials ex-  
pect to get some first hand views of  
the Japanese situation.  
Colonel Gordon, the British min-  
ister to Mexico, is expected here to-  
morrow. His visit will be very short  
and aside from a talk with President  
Wilson it is unlikely he will see many  
officials.

## FUNDING PARTY HELD

By Glee Club of Federal Shoe Shop—  
Concert and Dancing Were the Fea-  
tures

The Federal Glee club held an enter-  
tainment and dance in the Thomas Tal-  
bot Memorial hall last night and the  
affair was one of the most successful  
events conducted in this hall during the  
present year. Dancing, the main fea-  
ture of the evening, was enjoyed from  
8 o'clock until 12, to music furnished  
by the Federal glee club orchestra,  
Fred Devine, leader.

The entertainment consisted of:  
Overture, orchestra; song, Mr. Delaney;  
song, Mr. Picard and song, Mr. Bras-  
sard. Miss Ida Picard was the ac-  
companied.

The officers of the dance were as fol-  
lows: General manager, E. Rogers;  
assistant general manager, T. Heland;  
door director, L. Conscience; assistant  
floor director, Miss V. Rossini; chief  
aid, Miss N. Regan; aid, Miss E. M.  
Cartney, H. Nagure, S. Blakely, V.  
Picard, L. Bellonore, E. Connelly, I.  
Picard, E. Spillane, M. Eagan, M. Mul-  
doon, M. Spilly, Messrs. M. Lenox, J.  
Marshall, W. Foley, T. Letourneau, F.  
Kimball, L. Dumont, A. Chandelaine, F.  
Nansur, C. McGee, A. Hamelin and E.  
Ponlos.

## SUCCESSFUL WHIST ENJOYED

A successful whist for the benefit  
of St. Louis' church was conducted  
at the home of Mrs. Joseph Delorme,  
363 Hittard street last night. The  
affair had been organized by Mrs.  
Delorme and her daughter, Marguerite,  
who is vice president of the "Gordon  
table" at the coming festival, which  
will be given for the benefit of the  
parish.

There were over 100 people present  
and all took part in the card tourna-  
ment, at the close of which suitable  
prizes were awarded the winners as  
follows: First, Edouard Houle and  
Miss Regine Roussel; second, Arthur  
Cognac and Miss Rose Roussel; third,  
Arthur Delorme and Miss Juliette El-  
lison; fourth, T. J. Doyle and Miss Anna  
Ouellette.

During the evening a varied mus-  
ical program was carried out by the  
Anita orchestra, Miss Pearl Elton, Miss  
Clemence Sharr, Miss Lucille Roussel,  
Miss Juliette Elton and Miss Mar-  
guerite Delorme. Mr. Marcel Roussel  
presided over the affair and the judges  
at whist were Charles A. Delaronde,  
J. H. Beaulieu and F. N. Daigle. At  
the close of the evening a delightful  
luncheon was served.

Alleged Violations by  
the Michigan National  
Guard Discussed

HANCOCK, Mich., Feb. 18.—A tele-  
gram from Gov. Ferris asking Chair-  
man Taylor to send him by telegraph  
dates and places of alleged violations  
of the law by the Michigan national  
guard, together with available names  
of officers was read today at the open-  
ing of the congressional strike inquiry  
into the copper mines strike.  
It was in response to the invitation  
extended yesterday to have the state  
have the state represented when the  
strikers make their charges against the  
militia.

## PRESIDENT FAVORS BILL

WILL SUPPORT THE ALASKAN  
RAILROAD BILL, HE INFORMED  
UNDERWOOD

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—President  
Wilson told Representative Under-  
wood, the democratic-house leader, to-  
day that members could be assured of  
his own support for the Alaskan rail-  
road bill. Reports have recently been  
circulated that the president was op-  
posed to it.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

CAOQUETTE—The funeral of Mrs. Jo-  
seph Caoquette will take place Fri-  
day morning from her home, 51  
Crawford street, solemn high mass  
at St. Joseph's church at 10 o'clock.  
Friends invited. General arrange-  
ments in charge of Undertaker Jos.  
Albert.

INTO  
A  
CAVERNIs your cellar as dark  
as a cavern?Do you cautiously  
creep down into the  
depths of darkness?Would not electric  
lighting help, with a  
switch at the top of the  
stairs?Lowell Electric Light Corp.  
50 Central Street.



## SHIP CONTRACT

Naval Supply Vessel to be Built at Charlestown Navy Yard

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—The navy department yesterday afternoon formally announced that it had awarded the contract for the new naval supply ship to the Charlestown Navy yard.

Before publicly announcing the award the navy department privately informed the mayor of its action, on account of his activity in seeking to get the contract for Boston.

When the mayor heard the news, he said: "Another campaign, please fulfilled."

The building of the ship means the expenditure of about \$1,200,000 for labor and material and the steady employment of about 2000 men, most of whom are now laid off.

## LOSS IS \$10,000

Plant of Fall River Herald Badly Damaged by Fire Today

FALL RIVER, Feb. 18.—The plant of the Fall River Evening Herald Publishing Co. on Pocasset street was badly damaged by fire this morning. The blaze originated in the press room and there quarters together with the stereotyping department, suffered extensively from the great volume of water that was poured into the lower stories to prevent the blaze spreading. The damage is estimated at \$10,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

## BURNETT BILL AGAIN

SENATE IMMIGRATION COMMITTEE RESUMES CONSIDERATION OF THE MEASURE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Facing presidential veto of the Burnett immigration bill should it pass congress with the literacy test provision incorporated in it, the senate immigration committee today resumed consideration of the measure. The prospects were for a lively session for debate. President Wilson's opposition to the much discussed tenor of the provision, members of the committee were inclined to retain that feature in the bill as it passed the house.

Word that the president would exercise his veto prerogative in event the bill was received by him with the literacy test provision, came as a great surprise to committee members. They had been under the impression that while he did not favor that feature he would sign the bill if it passed congress.

Now, however, the practical certainty of veto awaiting the bill should it be passed with the literacy test provision has served to complicate the situation and members of the committee were prepared to thresh it over when they met today.

## HORSE KILLED BY STORM

VALUABLE TROTTER TOSSED TO DEATH ON BOARD SHIP—HORSES SOLD AT N. Y. AUCTION

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Peter Billiken, 2101-4, a six-year-old stallion by Peter the Great, brought \$5000, the highest price at the opening day yesterday of the mid-winter horse auction at Madison Square garden. He was sold to the syndicate stable of Syracuse, N. Y.

Thirty-one two-year-old trotters from 12 V. Markess' Walnut Hill farm, Kentucky, brought \$10,960. Senator David Todd of Youngstown, O., paid \$1575, the top for 500, Cox, a 3000 of 51, leading which occurred last night, was due to a complication of disease. For years he was prominent in sporting and theatrical circles and at one time toured the country in a theatrical production with John L. Sullivan.

## WILD DUCKS STARVING

THOUSANDS ARE DYING OF HUNGER—LONG ISLAND RESIDENTS TAKE FOOD OVER ICE

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The awful spectacle of thousands of wild ducks dying of hunger has aroused the residents of Sayville, Islip, Rockaway and other Long Island towns on the great south bay to action and daily they are taking large quantities of food over the ice-covered bay to the fowl.

## "DOC NEEDLES" IS DEAD

VETERAN SPORTING MAN AT ONE TIME TOUCHED COUNTRY WITH JOHN L. SULLIVAN

BRIGHTON, Conn., Feb. 18.—George E. Dwyer, popularly known as "Doc Needles," died at his home here at the age of 81, Tuesday night, after a long illness. For years he was prominent in sporting and theatrical circles and at one time toured the country in a theatrical production with John L. Sullivan.

ABOUT ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY FEET OF COUNTER SPACE AND TWENTY-FIVE EXPERIENCED SALESGIRLS FOR THIS SALE.

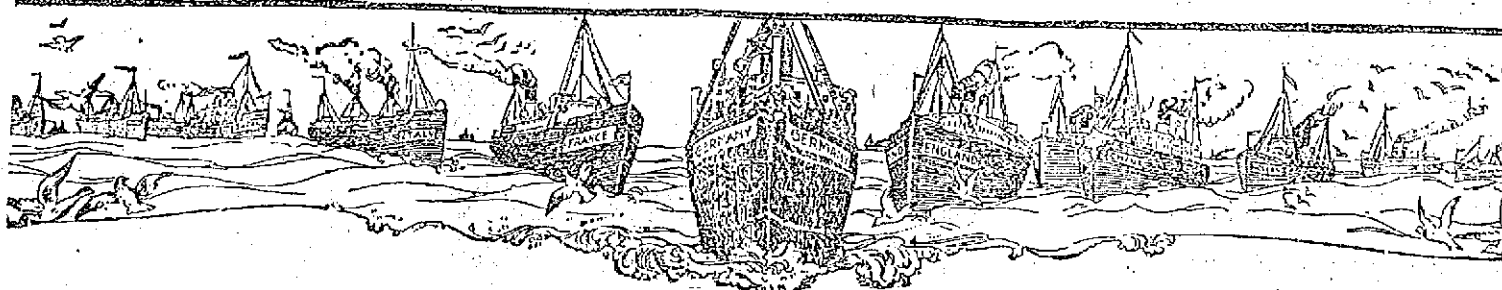
## The Bon Marche

LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH RELIABILITY

EVERY ARTICLE IN THIS SALE IS FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT. FULL WEIGHT AND FULL MEASURE IN EVERY INSTANCE.

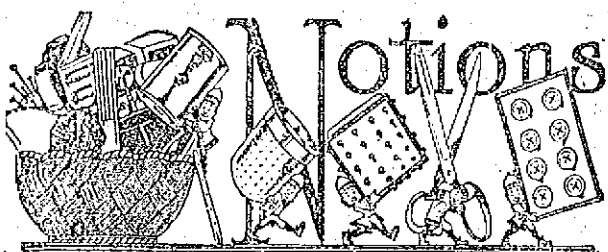
# Tomorrow Morning at 8.30 We Open Our Great Annual Spring Sale of Notions, Smallwares, Dressmakers' Supplies, and Toilet Preparations

Carefully laid plans covering weeks of preparation and very large purchases from foreign and domestic manufacturers enable us to offer you the best in its class at these remarkably low prices.



This Sale presents you with the opportunity to purchase RELIABLE MERCHANDISE at 1-2 to 2-3 the REGULAR PRICES

Known brands, standard quality, full weight and full measure. Every article fresh from the factory. No old stocks or job lots at any price.



## PINS

Adamantine Pins, full count, needle point. Value 3c paper. 4 for 5c

Madam Lloyd's Brass Pins, nickel plated, fine finish. Value 10c paper. 4c Paper

"Defender" Safety Pins, nickel plated, all sizes. 1 dozen on card. Value 5c. 10c card. 3 for 5c

"Clinton" Safety Pins, all sizes, nickel plated, 1 dozen on card. Value 8c. 10c card. 5c card

Invisible Hair Pins, 50 in box, assorted sizes. Value 5c. 10c box

Assorted Belt Pins, large sheet, assorted styles and sizes. Value 10c. 5c Sheet

Elastic Corset Laces, 3 yards long. Value 5c. 2 for 5c

Tape Measures, full size, brass tipped. Value 5c. 1c Each

Stocking Darners, enamel finish, all colors. Value 5c. 3c Each

Sanitary Belts, well made, all sizes. Value 20c. 9c Each

Sanitary Aprons, fine quality, pin-on-style. Value 25c. 14c Each

Sanitary Napkins, best quality, 1 dozen in box. Value 25c. 14c Box

"Smart Set" Hooks and Eyes, all sizes, black and white. 2 dozen on card. Value 5c card. 2 for 5c

Atlas Hooks and Eyes, all sizes, black or white. 2 dozen on card. Value 5c card. 2 for 5c

HOSE SUPPORTERS

"Tom Boy" Brand Hose Supporters, good quality webbing, black or white. all sizes. Value 10c-15c a pair. 7c Pair

Women's Pad Garters, silk finish, large pad, all colors, rubber tipped fasteners. Value 25c pair. 14c Pair

Invisible Collar Supports, silk covered, all heights, washable. Value 10c. 5c Card

Merrick's "Gift Edge" Darning Cotton, best made, black, white and tan. Value 3c ball. 3 for 5c

Vienna Elastic, half oval, good quality, black or white, all widths. Value 3c yard. 4 Yards for 5c

English Twilled Tape, 10 yard pieces, black or white, all widths. Value 10c. 7c Piece

24 Yard White Cotton Tape, good quality. Value 10c piece. 7c Piece

Cuba Pins, full count, black or white. Value 5c. 2 for 5c

Hair Pins, assorted sizes, full size bunch. Value 1c bunch. 3 for 1c

Little Beauty Invisible Hair Pins, large box, assorted sizes. Value 5c box. 2 for 5c

Hair Pin Cabinets, large size, assorted style pins. Value 10c box. 7c Box

Hooks AND EYES

"DeLong" Hooks and Eyes, the genuine make—"See that bump." All sizes, 2 dozen on card, black and white. Value 10c. 6c Card

"Regent" Linen Finish Thread, all numbers, Value 3c spool. 4 for 5c

"Warrior" Linen Finish Thread, 100 yard spools, black or white. Value 5c spool. 3c Spool

Dressmakers' Sewing Silk, fine quality, large spool, black only, all sizes. Value 25c. 14c Spool

Pearl Buttons, superfine quality, fish eye style, good sizes. Value 15c-20c card. 9c Card

Grochet Buttons, finely made patterns, 3 sizes, white only. Value 20c card. 9c Card

Taffeta Silk Seam Binding, "Sterling" brand, full width, 9 yard pieces. Value 15c. 9c Piece

"Galmac" and "Asbro" Collar Supporters, 6 on card, slip-on style, all heights. Value 5c card. 2 for 5c

Vorlight Dress Shields, fine quality, sizes 2, 3, 4. Value 15c. 7c Pair

Silk Covered Dress Shields, plain and fancy covering, guaranteed quality, all sizes. Value 25c. 11c Pair

Angora Dress Binding, Braid, black only, 4 yard pieces, best quality. Value 10c. 7c Piece

Elastic Shirtwaist Belts, white or black, assorted sizes. Value 15c. 7c Each

Mercedized Darning Cotton, silk finish. Value 5c ball. 3 for 5c

"Franko" Brand Dust Caps, good quality, Dutch style, assorted patterns. Value 10c. 7c Each

Tomato Style Pin Cushions, 2 sizes. Value 10c. 4c Each

Grandma's Flatiron Waxing Pad, perforated, large size. Value 5c. 3c Each

Asbestos Ironing Pads, good quality covering, large size. Value 5c. 2c Each

Shoe Lacings, tubular weave, double tipped, all lengths. Value 10c dozen. 7c Dozen

Shoe Lacings, good quality, all lengths. Value 5c dozen. 3c Dozen

## Extra Specials

10,000 Spools King's Soft Finish Spool Cotton—Black or white, all numbers; value 3c spool. Extra Special, 6 for 10c

"So-No-More" Snap Fasteners—All sizes; black or white; value 5c dozen. Extra Special, 2 doz. 5c

Black Sewing Silk—For machine or hand sewing; all numbers; value 5c spool. Extra Special, 4 for 5c

Pearl Buttons—Good quality; various sizes; 1 dozen on card; value 3c card. Extra Special, 1c card

White Crochet Buttons—Nicely made; new pattern; 3 sizes; value 20c card. Extra Special, 9c card

"Brighton" Baste Cotton—500 yards; all numbers; value 5c. Extra Special, 3c spool

White Rose Soap—Excellent for the toilet or bath; value 5c cake. Extra Special, 2 for 5c

Williams' Shaving Soap—Round shaped barber bar; value 5c. Extra Special, 4c bar

Medicated Toilet Paper—1000 sheets; large package; fine quality; value 15c package. Extra Value, 4 for 25c

Hot Water Bottles—The well known "Pulham" make, 3-quart size; fully guaranteed; value \$1.50. Extra Special, 69c each

## TOILET SOAPS

Jergens' Peroxide Bath Soap, large cake. Value 15c. 7c Cake

Pearl Unscented Soap, the best made. Value 15c cake. 11c Cake

Woodbury's Facial Soap, finely medicated. Value 25c. 17c Cake

Cuticura Soap, the genuine make. Value 25c. 18c Cake

Jergens' Violet Glycerine Soap, delicate violet odor. Value 10c. 8c Cake

Lettuce Cream Soap, value 5c. 3c Cake

Guest Room Size Violet de Parme Soap, four cakes in box; value 15c box. 2c Box

Jergens' Savon Violet and Jergens' odor Toilet Soaps. Value 25c. 14c Cake

Pumice Soap for removing greasy cuticles from hands. Value 10c. 5c Cake

Stanley's Barber Bar Shaving Soap. Value 5c. 2c Bar

Oatmeal and Buttermilk Soap, large cake. Value 5c. 3c Cake

Pearl Soap, white, finest quality soap, for bath or toilet. Value 5c cake. 3 for 10c

## TOILET NECESSITIES

Woodworth's Arbutus Toilet Powder, fresh and white. Value 25c. 16c Jar

Peroxide of Hydrogen, "Per-man-co" brand, full government test, high grade. 16 oz. size. Value 25c. 14c Bottle

8 oz. size. Value 15c. Special at 10c. 7c Bottle

1 oz. size. Value 10c. Special at 5c. 5c Bottle

Jergens' Oriental Toilet Powder, Corvillous odor. Value 25c. 9c Can

Oris Toilet Powder, excellent dentifrice. Value 20c. 9c Bottle

Witch Hazel, finest distilled, full strength, 15 percent alcohol grade. 1 lb. size. Value 25c. 15c Bottle

1 lb. size. Value 15c. Special at 10c. 8c Bottle

Jergens' Oriental Toilet Powder and Rich's Toilet Powder. Value 15c. 9c Can

Borated Toilet Powder, clear and violet odors, sweet and lasting. Value 15c. 7c Can

Bay Rum, finest distilled West Indian quality, full strength, large bottle. Value 25c. 17c Bottle

"Pearless" Florida Water, large size bottle, highest grade. Value 50c. 25c Bottle

Jergens' Benzoin and Almond Lotion, unexcelled for chapped hands. Value 25c. 17c Bottle

Holmes' Frosstilla, genuine make. Value 25c. 16c Bottle

"Mama's" Violet and Borated Toilet Powder. Value 20c. 14c Jar

Value of both 46c. Both for 27c

\$1.75 Combination 95c

1 Hot Water Bottle, 2 quart size. 15c Each

Rubber Syringes, complete, with tube and pipes. Value of both \$1.75. Both for 95c

Jergens' Peroxide Bath Soap, also Geranium, Oatmeal and Elderflower odors. Value 15c cake. 2 for 15c

"Laco" Castile Soap, the genuine imported Spanish Castile. Value 10c cake. 2 for 15c

COMBINATIONS

2 Articles at Price of One

45c Combination 24c

1 bottle Orris Toilet Powder. 1 French Bristle Tooth Brush. Value of both 45c. Both for 24c

30c Combination 16c

1 Jar Jergens' Corylopsis Toilet Powder. 1 cake Jergens' Violet Glycerine Soap. Value of both 30c. Both for 16c

40c Combination 19c

1 bottle De Morth's Liquid Powder. 1 Silk Sponge for applying powder. Value of both 40c. Both for 19c

30c Combination 16c

1 large Chamomile Skin. 1 can Sweetland Violet Toilet Powder. Value of both 30c. Both for 16c

20c Combination 17c

1 can Williams' Toilet Powder. 1 value Williams' Shaving Soap. Value of both 30c. Both for 17c

50c Combination 29c

1 can Sanitol Toilet Powder. 1 genuine French Bristle Tooth Brush. Value of both 50c. Both for 29c

40c Combination 23c

1 bottle Peroxide of Hydrogen, 16 oz. size. 1 bottle West Indian Bay Rum, 8 oz. size. Value of both 40c. Both for 23c



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COMBS AND BRUSHES

Dressing Combs, good quality bone or black rubber. Value 10c to 15c. 7c Each

Black Rubber Fine Tooth Combs, superior quality. Value 15c. 7c Each

"Keen-Clean" Hair Brushes, fine bristle, aluminum face, solid back, mahogany and ebony finish. Excellent 30c value. 24c

Genuine French Bristle Hair Brushes, solid back, superior quality, ebony and mahogany finish. Value \$1.00. 49c

Highest Grade French Bristle Hair Brushes, selected quality, genuine ebony backs. An actual \$1.50 value. 95c Each

Japanese Bristle and Fibre Nail Brushes, assorted styles. Value 15c and 10c. 9c Each

High Grade Bristle Hand Scrub Brushes, superior quality, assorted sizes and shapes. Value 20c and 25c. 13c Each

Fine French Bristle Tooth Brushes, fine quality, assorted shapes and sizes, plain or perforated backs. Value 25c. 14c Each

Highest Grade Nail and Hand Brushes Combined, ebony and oak finish. An excellent 50c value. 29c Each

Whisk Brooms, fine quality corn, two sizes and styles. Value 25c. 14c Each

## OPERA COMPANY QUILTS

REFUSED TO SING AT CUT PRICE AND POLICE SEIZED PROPERTY AND EFFECTS

DENVER, Feb. 18.—Alleging that the local manager by cutting \$150 from his guarantee of \$4500 a performance did not leave sufficient funds to pay salaries, the management of the National Opera company of Canada, refused to appear here last night.

In default of the performance, Clark D. Pritchett, commissioner of public safety, seized the property of the company and the personal effects of the members of the company to indemnify the audience.

## NAVAL APPROPRIATION

HOUSE NAVAL COMMITTEE HAS BEFORE IT TENTATIVE DRAFT OF BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The house naval affairs committee had before it today a tentative draft of the annual naval appropriation bill as prepared

by its sub-committee, a feature of which provides for the dissolution of the navy department's bureau of equipment on July 1 next.

The tentative bill makes no provision whatever for a dry dock on the Atlantic coast as recommended by the navy department.

The bill would provide not exceeding \$500,000 for an enlarged powder factory at Indian Head, Md., together with \$250,000 for other purposes there. It also appropriates \$1,100,000 for purchase and manufacture of smokeless powder. It provides \$104,000 for entertaining officers and crews of foreign fleets at the Panama-Pacific international exposition next year under the president's invitation.

If you want help at home on your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## MERR'K RIVER PROJECT

LOWELL MEN APPEARED FOR CITY AT STATE HOUSE YESTERDAY—ANOTHER HEARING

John James E. O'Donnell, Secretary John H. Murphy of the Lowell board of trade and Jesse D. Crook, appeared before the harbor and lands commission at the state house yesterday in support of the Merrimack river navigation project.

After discussing at length the proposed work, the Lowell committee conferred with the members of the harbor and land committee as to the hearing scheduled for Feb. 20 on the same subject. It was agreed that the hearing would be an informal one and that a final hearing would be held early in March.

## THANKS MAYOR MURPHY

Frank Young, international organizer for the Machinists' union, has written a letter to Mayor Murphy thanking him for using his influence in obtaining a train for the workmen of the B. & M. car shops at Ellerston, and in his letter Mr. Young states he will bring this matter to the attention of his organization.

ALASKAN RAILROAD BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Detailed consideration of the Alaskan railroad bill was resumed in the house today with administration leaders confident that a final vote was near at hand. Debate on the measure has been closed

## ALL N. Y. BANKS JOIN

EVERY NATIONAL INSTITUTION IN CITY AGREES TO WORK UNDER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—All of the 35 national banks in this city have signified their intention of working under the new federal reserve system. The National Park and Fifth National banks, the last to reach a decision, yesterday signified their intention of joining.

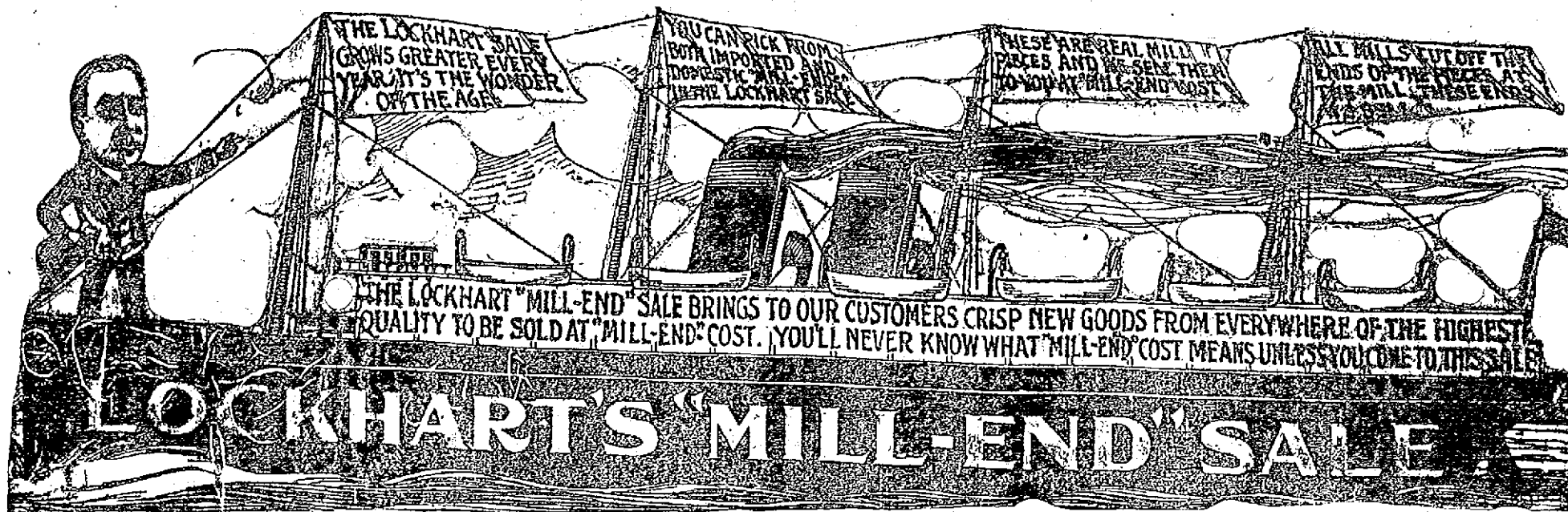


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### MILL END SALE OF WOMEN'S COATS

Women's Coats in all the leading shades, regular price \$17.50. Mill End Sale Price..... \$5.00  
Women's Black Coats, plain and rough materials, regular price \$22.50. Mill End Sale Price..... \$10.00

### MILL END SALE OF WOMEN'S DRESSES

Women's Dresses, blue and black serge, regular price \$7.95. Mill End Sale Price..... \$3.95  
Women's Pongee Dresses, regular price \$10.95. Mill End Sale Price..... \$3.95  
Women's Silk Dresses, blue, black, brown and open, regular price \$12.50. Mill End Sale Price..... \$6.95

### MILL END SALE OF FURS

Black Belgian Fur Sets, regular price \$20.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$12.50  
Jap. Mink Muffs, regular price \$16.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$6.95  
Scarves, in brown and black, regular price \$10. Mill End Sale Price..... \$4.95

### MILL END SALE OF Petticoats and House Dresses

Women's One-Piece Percale House Dresses, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price..... 50c  
Women's Messaline Petticoats, in all colors, regular price \$2.49. Mill End Sale Price..... \$1.79  
Women's Black Sateen Petticoats, regular price 45c. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c

### MILL END SALE OF Women's and Children's Knit Underwear

Women's Vests, low neck, sleeveless, 12 1-2 value. Mill End Sale Price..... 6 1-4c  
Women's Union Suits, in regular and out-sizes, wide bottom and cuff knee, 50c and 55c value. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c  
Children's Pileed Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, 50c value. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c  
Children's Pileed Vests and Pants, 35c value. Mill End Sale Price..... 19c  
Boys' Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 25c value. Mill End Sale Price..... 15c Each

### MILL END SALE OF BEDS and BEDDING

We Have a Complete Line of Brass and Iron Beds and Our Prices for This Sale Will Represent Great Money Savings.  
White Enamel Beds, continuous post, extra heavy, regular price \$5.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$3.95  
White Enamel Beds, curved top rails, regular price \$7.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$4.95  
White Enamel Beds, continuous posts, brass trimmed, regular price \$3.50. Mill End Sale Price..... \$3.95  
White Enamel Beds, extra strong, brass trimmed, regular price \$10.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$5.95  
White Enamel Beds, fancy scroll tops, brass trimmed, regular price \$12.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$7.95

### MILL END SALE IN CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Children's Rompers in pink and blue checks, sizes 2 to 6 years, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price 25c  
Infants' Wool Bands, regular price 25c. Mill End Sale Price..... 15c  
Infants' Long Slits, made of good quality, regular price 50c. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c  
Infants' Bonnets, all sizes, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price 19c.

### MILL END SALE OF Crash by the Yard

6 1-4c Cotton Crash. Mill End Sale Price..... 4c  
7c Cotton Crash. Mill End Sale Price..... 4 1-2c  
10c Unbleached Linen Crash. Mill End Sale Price..... 7 1-2c  
15c Bleached Linen, warranted pure linen. Mill End Sale Price, 12 1-2c

### MILL END SALE OF Early Morning Leaders

50c Mercerized Damask, best American make, 72 inches wide. Mill End Sale Price..... 35c Yard  
45c Mercerized Damask, 61 inches wide. Mill End Sale Price..... 29c  
5c Face Cloths. Mill End Sale Price, 12 for 25c

### MILL END SALE OF Cotton Wash Goods

Plain Silk Muslin, navy blue, tan, slate and brown, regular price 19c. Mill End Sale Price..... 8c  
Figured Mercerized Duck, soft finish, regular price 15c. Mill End Sale Price..... 6 1-4c  
Yard Wide Percales, light or dark colors, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price..... 7 1-2c  
Cutting Flannel, light or dark colors, regular price 16c. Mill End Sale Price..... 7 1-2c  
Bates and Zephyr Ginghams, regular price 12 1-2c and 15c. Mill End Sale Price..... 10c  
Plain Pongee, very fine, regular price 17c. Mill End Sale Price..... 10c  
Molton Flannel, regular price 12 1-2c. Mill End Sale Price..... 9 1-2c  
Prints, all light colors, regular price 6 1-4c. Mill End Sale Price..... 4c  
Prints, gray, blue and light colors, regular price 7c. Mill End Sale Price..... 5c

### MILL END SALE OF AXMINSTER RUGS

Axminster Rugs, 18x36, regular price \$1.25. Mill End Sale Price 90c Each  
Axminster Rugs, 27x54, regular price \$2.75. Mill End Sale Price \$1.79 Each  
Axminster Rugs, 36x72, regular price \$4.50. Mill End Sale Price \$2.93 Each

### MILL END SALE OF Sheets and Pillow Cases

100 Dozen Full Size Bed Sheets, of good bleached cotton, with one and three inch hems, subject to slight imperfections, regular price 49c. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c Each  
200 Dozen Full Size Bed Sheets, made of good quality bleached cotton. No imperfections. One and three inch hem, regular price 50c. Mill End Sale Price..... 35c Each

### MILL END SALE OF Hodges Fiber Matting

3000 yards of Hodges Fiber Matting, 36 inches wide, all colors, values up to 45c a yard. Mill End Sale Price..... 19c Yard  
400 yards of 36 inch Matting, slightly damaged. Mill End Sale Price, 10c Yard

### MILL END SALE OF MATTRESSES

Soft Top Mattresses, 1 or 2 parts, regular value \$2.50. Mill End Sale Price..... \$1.75  
Soft Top and Bottom Mattresses, reversible, extra heavy tick, regular value \$4.00. Mill End Sale Price \$2.75  
Combination Mattresses, rubber, fiber filling, sateen tick, regular value \$5.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$3.75  
All Fiber Mattresses, soft top, bottom and sides, very fine tick, regular value \$6. Mill End Sale Price \$4.50  
All Cotton Mattresses, selected cotton filling, fancy tick, regular value \$7.50. Mill End Sale Price..... \$5.95  
Silk Floss Mattresses, guaranteed best quality silk floss, and full weight, regular value \$15.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$10.95

### MILL END SALE OF BED SPRINGS

National Bed Springs, fully guaranteed, all sizes, regular price \$3.50. Mill End Sale Price..... \$2.25

### MILL END SALE OF Sheets and Pillow Cases

50 Dozen Sheets, 18x36 inches excellent quality of bleached cotton and seamless, regular price 30c. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c  
75 Doz. Pillow Slips, size 18x36 inches, excellent quality cotton, regular price 11c. Mill End Sale Price, 4 for 25c  
12 1-2c Pillow Slips, 42x36 inches, subject to slight imperfections. Mill End Sale Price..... 10c Each

### MILL END SALE OF Pattern Table Cloths and Napkins to Match

\$1.00 Hemstitched Table Cloths, two yards long, mercerized satin finish. Mill End Sale Price..... 59c Each  
\$1.50 Hemstitched Table Cloths, three yards long, mercerized satin finish. Mill End Sale Price..... 79c  
\$2.50 All Linen Hemstitched Table Cloths. Mill End Sale Price \$1.25

### MILL END SALE OF NAPKINS

50 Dozen Mercerized Napkins, regular price 10c each. Mill End Sale Price..... 3 1-2c Each  
\$4.50 Strictly All Pure Linen Napkins, in good assortment of patterns. Mill End Sale Price..... \$2.50  
\$5.00 Dinner Size Napkins, very best designs. Mill End Sale Price \$3.00

### MILL END SALE OF WHITE GOODS

500 Yards of Long-Cloth and Fancy Plume, regular prices 15c and 30c. Mill End Sale Price..... 2 1-2c Yard  
10c Checked Dimities, 27 inches wide. Mill End Sale Price..... 10c Yard

### MILL END SALE OF DECORATIVE LINENS

200 Dozen Scarfs, Squares and Doilies. Size scarfs 18x34 inches, squares 36x30 inches, doilies 30 inches. Beautifully embroidered and trimmed with torchon lace. Mill End Sale Price..... 2 for 25c  
50c Scarfs and Squares to match. Beautifully embroidered and trimmed with torchon lace. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c Each  
\$1.00 Scarfs and Squares, fifty per cent linen, beautifully embroidered and trimmed with torchon lace. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c Each

### MILL END SALE OF WANTED NOTIONS

24 Yard Pieces White Tape, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price 5c  
Hooks and Eyes, black and silver, with Peet's eyes, 2 dozen on card, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price..... 2c  
John J. Clark's Spool Cotton, regular price 4c. Mill End Sale Price..... 2c  
Sewing Silk, all colors, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price..... 4c  
Basting Cotton, regular price 2c. Mill End Sale Price..... 2c  
Safety Pins, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price..... 2c  
Common Pins, regular price 3c. Mill End Sale Price..... 1c  
Pearl Buttons, regular price 7c. Mill End Sale Price..... 4c  
Black and White Headed Pins, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price 2c  
Tape, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price..... 3c  
Collar Supporters, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price..... 3c  
Darning Cotton, regular price 3c. Mill End Sale Price..... 1c  
Feather Stitched Braid, regular price 7c. Mill End Sale Price..... 4c  
Spring Fasteners, all sizes, regular price 15c. Mill End Sale Price 7c

### MILL END SALE OF DRESS GOODS

36 inch Poplinettes, desirable for Spring wear, all colors, including evening shades, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c Yard  
Your choice of all our Serges, Panamas, Plaids and Mixed Weaves, 36 to 42 inches wide, all wool, regular price 60c. Mill End Sale Price, 49c Yard  
Remnants of all our winter stock, including Serges, Panamas, Batistes, Homespuns and Mixtures, from 1 1-2 to 4 yards in each piece, prices range from 40c to \$1.50 a yard. Now Half Price

### MILL END SALE OF Fine Lace All-Over and Tucked Nets

Lengths run from one-fourth to three-fourths of a yard, values from 75c to \$1.50 per yard. Mill End Sale Prices..... 10c and 15c Piece

### MILL END SALE OF Muslin Underwear

Corset Covers, with yoke of torchon lace and two rows of ribbon run, regular price 19c. Mill End Sale Price..... 12 1-2c

### Muslin Underwear Continued

Corset Covers of good quality main-sack, variety of lace and embroidery combined with fancy headings and medallions, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price..... 29c  
Women's Drawers of cambric, with hemstitched ruffle, regular price 19c. Mill End Sale Price, 2 Pcs. 25c  
Women's Drawers with deep ruffle of embroidery and cluster of tucks or wide torchon lace insertion and edge, regular price 35c. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c Pair  
Drawers of fine quality cambric and cluster of tucks, with deep ruffle of Swiss embroidery, regular price 50c. Mill End Sale Price 39c Pair  
Women's Night Robes of nainsook, chemise style, edged with lace and ribbon run, regular price 55c. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c  
Night Robes of cambric or nainsook, long and short sleeves, in a variety of lace and embroidery trimmed. Mostly sampler and only a few of each pattern, regular price 69c. Mill End Sale Price..... 50c  
Night Robes in empire or kimono style, also high neck, long sleeves, with yoke of embroidery, shadowed or torchon lace, wide headings and medallions, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price..... 79c  
Women's Night Robes of cambric or nainsook, with yoke of tucks, two rows of insertion edged with nainsook embroidery, sizes 19 and 20, regular price \$1.25. Mill End Sale Price..... 79c  
Long White Skirts with ruffle of embroidery, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c  
White Skirts with 18 inch flounce of Swiss embroidery, slightly soiled, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price..... 79c

### MILL END SALE OF Women's and Children's GLOVES

Women's Pure Silk Gloves, 16 button length, French woven tips, in white, black, pink and blue, regular price \$1.25. Mill End Sale Price..... 59c Pair  
2-Clasp, Fine Quality Kid Gloves, in black, white and tan, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price 59c Pair  
1-Clasp Heavy Cuff Gloves, tan shades, Price seam down, and imperial point backs, regular price \$1.25. Mill End Sale Price 79c Pair  
16-Button White Kid Gloves, regular price \$3.00. Mill End Sale Price, \$1.79 Pair  
Broken lots of 2-Clasp Pure Silk Gloves, double topped fingers, regular price 50c. Mill End Sale Price..... 29c Pair  
2-Clasp Cashmere Gloves, in black and colors, regular price 25c. Mill End Sale Price 15c, 2 Pairs for 25c  
Children's Wool Golf Gloves, black and colors; also astrachan mittens, kid palms, regular price 35c. Mill End Sale Price..... 19c Pair

### MILL END SALE OF JEWELRY

Coin Purse and Vanity Cases in German silver and gun metal, with long or short chains regular price 50c and 75c. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c  
Hair Barrettes, in shell and amber, assorted styles and sizes, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price 6c  
1 lot of Jewelry consisting of Belt Buckles, Veil Pins, Beauty Pins, Brooches, Sash Pins, worth up to 50c each. Mill End Sale Price 4c

### MILL END SALE OF Men's, Women's and Children's Hosiery

Women's Black Cotton Hose, double soles, heel and toe, 12 1-2c quality. Mill End Sale Price, 9c, 3 Pairs for 25c  
Women's Black Cotton Hose, double heel, sole and toe, 19c quality. Mill End Sale Price..... 2 Pairs 25c  
Children's Lisle Ribbed Hose, double heel and toe, 15c quality. Mill End Sale Price..... 2 Pairs 25c  
Children's Black Cotton Hose, 1x1 ribbed, double soles and double knees, 12 1-2c quality. Mill End Sale Price..... 4 Pairs 25c  
Men's Wool Hose, natural and camel hair, 25c quality. Mill End Sale Price..... 2 Pairs 25c  
Men's Silk Lisle Hose, in all colors, 25c quality. Mill End Sale Price, 2 Pairs 25c  
Men's Cotton Hose, medium weight, double soles, 15c quality. Mill End Sale Price..... 2 Pairs 25c

### MILL END SALE OF Women's and Children's HATS

\$1.00 to \$2.00 Untrimmed Shapes. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c  
\$2.50 and \$5.00 Untrimmed Shapes. Mill End Sale Price..... 87c  
\$1.00 to \$2.00 Fancy Feathers, Mill End Sale Price..... 25c  
\$2.50 Fancy Ostrich Pieces. Mill End Sale Price..... 89c  
Assorted Flowers. Mill End Sale Price..... 8c  
Hat Frames. Mill End Sale Price 7c  
\$1.00 Colored Velvets. Mill End Sale Price..... 65c Yard  
Trimmed Hats. Mill End Sale Price..... \$1.00  
Assorted Millinery Ribbons. Mill End Sale Price..... 18c Yard  
Trimming Novelties. Mill End Sale Price..... 14c  
Other Millinery Mill End Items on sale not mentioned in our circular. HATS TRIMMED FREE

### MILL END SALE OF WAISTS

Percale Waists, made of good quality percale, in assorted colored stripes, with roll back collar and French cuffs. Good value. Worth 60c. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c  
Lingerie Waists, buttoned back, with long sleeves and embroidery fronts, very neat. Worth 79c. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c  
Tailored Waists, in welsite, gingham and percale, in long and short sleeves, with new laced collar, in assorted colored stripes and all white. Others in long sleeves and high soft tailored collars, made of natural colored linen, and white lined. Worth 95c. Mill End Sale Price..... 79c

### MILL END SALE OF TOILET GOODS

1 Pound Bottle Peroxide of Hydrogen, regular price 25c. Mill End Sale Price..... 10c  
Crushed Rose and Violet Talcum Powder, 1 pound cans, regular price 15c. Mill End Sale Price 8c  
Lily of the Valley Soap, 3 cakes in a box, regular price 15c. Mill End Sale Price..... 7c a Box  
Tooth Brushes, in an assortment of sizes and sizes, regular price 19c and 25c. Mill End Sale Price 10c





# THE TOWN OF BILLERICA

Problems That Will Come Before  
Next Town Meeting—The Car  
Shop Difficulty

With the annual meeting of the town of Billerica only a little over a month away the townspeople are beginning to gather and talk over the possibilities of the various candidates and the necessity of certain improvements in the town. The old form of town meeting has been adopted this year and it will be welcomed by the voters as the form used the past two years proved very unsatisfactory. During the past two or three years the candidates on the ballot would be voted upon on a certain date and the articles of the warrant taken up and discussed during the evening. If the entire business could not be transacted in one evening the meeting would have to be adjourned for a week and so on until the last article on the warrant was reached.

Although very few citizens have yet declared themselves as candidates for the various offices it is rumored throughout all sections of the town that there will be more contests on this year than for several years in the past. It is believed that there will be at least seven or eight citizens out for the board of selectmen, none of

the present board, which is comprised of Messrs. Sheridan, Sanford and Wright, have yet made any public statement but it is understood that all three will be up for re-election and all have a host of friends in both villages.

## The Vacant Offices

There will also be a vacancy on the board of assessors this year and as this is one of the best paying offices that the voters have to fill there will undoubtedly be several candidates for this position. A member of the board of health, a school committeeman, and several other offices are to be filled and a red hot town meeting is assured.

The citizens of the North Village are mentioning the name of Edgar F. Twombly to oppose Harry Essex for highway surveyor, but Mr. Twombly has not yet taken the stump. The contest for highway surveyor last year was one of the most interesting on the ballot. If Twombly and Essex are in the fight again this year it will probably be equally as lively.

Although the warrant for the town meeting has not yet been drawn up it is probable that the list of articles will be longer this year than for several years past. The coming of the Boston & Maine repair shops to the town has made considerable more work for all town departments and several improvements will have to be made on this account.

## Tenement House Act

A number of residents of the town who wish to have Billerica keep her good name as being one of the most beautiful towns in this section of the state are going to make an effort to have the town adopt the provisions of chapter 635, of the acts of 1914, and also section 1 of chapter 104, as amended by chapter 334, acts of 1912, the same being the acts regulating the building of tenement houses in the town. The act is known as the tenement house act and the Billerica people consider it very important at this time. An article of this sort was taken up at the meeting last year but as some of the citizens wished it placed on file for another year no definite action was taken.

## Burlington Road

The board of selectmen is also preparing to petition the state for the sum of \$2500 toward the building of a new road from Burlington to Billerica. If the petition is granted by the state an article will have to be inserted in the warrant to see whether the town will appropriate a similar sum toward

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With our Suits we put on sale 100 Overcoats, every one new and up to date—Chinchillas in blue and oxfords; Kerseys and Meltons in black and oxford, with shawl collars, self collars or velvet collars; medium length or long. These overcoats sold for \$15, \$18, \$20 and \$23—all into one lot to close for.....

# \$12.50

## the macadam road.

Last year an article appeared in the warrant relative to the town appointing a committee to look into the matter of organizing a stock company to build a number of workingmen's homes to be held or rented to the car shop employees and it is said that an article of this kind will probably be taken up at the meeting next month.

## Fire Engineer

During the past year the three members of the board of selectmen have been unable to agree upon a man for the position of fire engineer at Billerica Centre, previously held by John H. Baker, and consequently the town has gone along with but two fire engines. Instead of three. Several times the matter has been discussed at the sessions of the board but not two members were able to agree on a man and the office has remained vacant; therefore the expenses of the fire department will be fifty dollars less.

## The Car Shop

The employees of the Boston & Maine shops are greatly pleased over the new transportation condition and many who were on the point of leaving the town have decided to settle down and give the new scheme a thorough try out. It is said that a number of the men who came from the Keene shops to work in Billerica last week moved to Nashua Saturday and tried to secure work in the B. & M. shop there. As the employees of the Nashua shops expect to be sent to Keene, to take the place of the men sent to Billerica, should these men have been successful in securing work in the Nashua shops, it would send them back to their old homes in Keene, when the change is made.

The men told of the troubles here which were particularly in reaching the shops. One of the men said: "We could not stand living in Lowell and leaving our homes at 8 a. m. during the coldest weather of the year. It was a long ride out here on the electric and then the mile walk made it more disagreeable. Almost every morning last week it was from 10 to 20 below zero when we tramped through the snow to the shops. It was a long hard trip there a day and we feel grateful to the B. & M. for giving us such good transportation after learning of our difficulties."

As has been stated in these columns many times before the greater number of employees live in Lowell. Many who formerly lived in Centralville or along the Gosham street car line have found suitable quarters nearer the railroad station and now they don't have to leave their homes till most 6.30 o'clock. The new arrangement has made the change much more pleasant for the workmen and their winter will be a great deal more comfortable than they expected.

Beginning this year the town cattle inspector will be appointed by the state instead of by the selectmen and the townspeople are wondering if William H. Hutchins, who has held this position for several years, will be asked to resign. The salary is not very high and will probably not have many opponents for his position.

## Annual Town Report

The annual town report will not be published for about a month yet but it is claimed that the town is in better condition financially than for many years. The selectmen claim that all departments have at least lived within their appropriations while a number have a good amount of cash on hand, which shows that the board should be given credit for the way it has handled the town's money.

As was printed in this paper some time ago the town's School association is financially embarrassed and as the town will have to appropriate enough money to carry on the school for the

year, it is estimated that the school appropriation for 1914-15 will exceed \$21,000. Last year it was in the vicinity of \$17,000.

## School Accommodations

Superintendent of Schools Webber in his last report to the town recommended the appointment of a committee to investigate the whole question of future school accommodations in view of the completion of the Boston & Maine repair shops. The section of the town about the shops is bound to increase in population and the school matter will undoubtedly be discussed at some length at the annual town meeting.

It is believed that some provision will have to be made to relieve the congested condition in the Pollard school at Billerica Centre. Last year the superintendent claims, some of the grades showed an enrollment of from 52 to 56 pupils and of course this seriously handicapped the work. One teacher was employed and a number of pupils from each of the overcrowded rooms taken into the new room but that did not give the proper relief.

At one time it was suggested that an addition be built on the Pollard school and two new rooms opened. As manual training work has been instituted at this school during the past year two additional rooms would allow for better equipment and also office facilities.

The Talbot school at North Billerica which was built about 12 years ago, is large enough to accommodate a great many more students as there are vacant rooms there at the present time. However, the school problem will have to be carefully considered this year and some changes will probably be made.

## Dancing Folk Alarmed

The dancing folk of the town are greatly aroused over the announcement of the state building inspector that all chairs in halls must be securely fastened to the floors. It has been the custom for Billerica organizations to hold entertainments in the public halls and then quickly clear the floor of the chairs and enjoy dancing. The new law will not allow this, unless some new scheme is thought of, and it will be necessary to permanently fasten all chairs to the floor.

## Extension of Car Tracks

The recent action of the Billerica board of selectmen in refusing to allow the Bay State Street railway to lay a spur track down High street, from Pollard street, toward the B. & M. car repair shops has caused considerable discussion both in this city and Billerica. Those who opposed the petition which it made clear that the Bay State petitioned only to extend its tracks as far as the railroad crossing, a distance of not more than 300 yards. It has been allowed the workmen would have been obliged to walk almost as far as from the corner of High and Pollard streets.

When the matter was brought before the selectmen about 50 citizens appeared in opposition to granting the petition as they believed it would be dangerous to dump the passengers so near the railroad crossing, which is not tended by a flagman or any other railroad employee. The Bay State did not care to build a bridge to go over the railroad tracks and so the petition was placed on file.

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## AN EXCITING RUNAWAY

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Mr. Garvey Thrown Out

An exciting runaway occurred in the vicinity of the Middlesex street station shortly after 5 o'clock this morning when a horse owned by the board of health department and in charge of Foreman Thomas F. Garvey was frightened near the corner of Hale and Grand streets and after running at a terrific pace through Grand street and

several short streets in that section made a dash down the railroad tracks toward Western avenue and got caught in the trestle when about half way across the railroad bridge near the Middlesex street crossing. Mr. Garvey, it is said, was thrown out of the sleigh at the start but fortunately was not seriously injured. A gang of men who were working clearing the railroad tracks of the

snow rushed to the scene and after considerable work succeeded in raising the animal and as the bottom of the bridge was open it was necessary to secure a number of planks to get the horse to solid ground. The horse was pulled onto the planks and then over a dozen men dragged the animal to the end of the bridge where he stood up and was led to Clapp's stable on Middlesex street. One leg was badly cut but the horse was able to limp slowly along. According to witnesses of the runaway a young man was holding the horse by the head while Mr. Garvey got into the sleigh. A loud noise frightened the animal and in some way the man who had hold of the bridle lost his grip and the horse started at a rapid trot toward Middlesex street. In turning a corner the sleigh struck a curb-stone and it was left behind while the horse continued along with only the shafts attached. Several persons who were on the street at the time narrowly escaped being struck as the horse sped by, but fortunately no one was injured. The horse went from Middlesex to Arch street and as the railroad crossing was open he started down the tracks toward the School street crossing at full speed. When he reached the bridge about 200 yards from Middlesex street he sank in the trestle and struggled wildly to get free.

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## THE WORK TRAIN

The members of the board of trade and all others who have been instrumental in influencing the Boston and Maine railroad to provide a special work train for the new car shop employees are to be complimented, for they have secured a concession that will react favorably on the city and will go far towards smoothing away the difficulties that have made the lives of the recent arrivals from New England less pleasant than they had been in the New Hampshire communities which many of them left reluctantly. The hundreds of workers will now realize that the worst of their perplexities is over, for the transportation question was serious considering the severely cold weather and the inadequate service on the electric lines. Up to the present, the walk that had to be undertaken through more or less bleak territory, in going to or coming from work was sufficient to overbalance many of the advantages which the new shops offered to the employees.

Even from the selfish point of view the Boston and Maine has done wisely in providing the workers with a special train morning and evening. Those among them who prefer life in Lowell to the necessarily more restricted life of North Billerica will be enabled to live in the city, and their families will be able to enter into the business and social life of the larger community with its superior opportunities for business education and recreation. The greatest asset to any large corporation is loyal and satisfied employees, and by providing the special train, the Boston and Maine has gone far towards creating a desirable spirit among the men who will do the great locomotive repair shops. The special train will also make it possible for the employees to reach their work promptly in the morning, and this has been practically impossible heretofore considering the weather conditions coupled with the inadequate car service. The special train will also benefit the city, for it will ensure a greater proportion of the workers to Lowell than had intended to settle here originally. There may still be many who will prefer to settle in North Billerica, but those who will do so will act from choice rather than from necessity. The special train will make it as easy for those who live in Lowell to reach their work as though the new shops were located at Merrimack square.

The railroad has now done its part, and it remains for the city to leave nothing undone in meeting the new additions to our population with the proper spirit and making it possible for them and their families to settle down here with full satisfaction. The city has hundreds of good opportunities in homes and tenements, and though many of the first selections may be of a temporary nature, all who have come here can eventually find the type of dwelling which they desire. Owing to the new train there is no part of the city that is difficult of access, and there are some among the more skilled and high salaried officials who would be glad to settle in the Highlands or Poliviere or other such location, were they shown the proper type of dwelling. Were such to get in touch with the board of trade they would undoubtedly be able to make a satisfactory selection of a future home.

The new arrivals are a welcome addition to our business, political and social life, and it is the duty of the city to provide them with advantages for home life, suitable tenements, schools and recreation as well as adequate transportation facilities. Anything done to aid the desirable workers of the new car shops will react later to the advantage of the city which has been signally honored by the presence of the car shop location and the settling here of so many valued additions to our population.

## CARRYING OF WEAPONS

The two fines of \$50.00 imposed by Judge Enright last Monday on the visitors from Lynn and North Wilmington respectively who were found guilty of carrying revolvers calls attention to the habit that unfortunately prevails among too many of our citizens—particularly those of foreign birth. Every little while the community is shocked by a shooting or a stabbing affray, and though these occurrences are not frequent, they would be far less so were the habit of carrying weapons discouraged. Few of the stabbing or shooting affairs that come before the local courts are the result of premeditation, but the principals carry around knives or revolvers at all times, and when some argument ensues, the weapon of itself suggests the crime—automatically almost. When these weapons are carried by those who indulge in drink, they almost invariably get them into serious trouble.

The cure for this condition is in the campaign of education which will impress on foreigners and others that reforms such as a one-cent letter rate to the law-abiding American citizen has no need of knives and revolvers in the pursuit of his business or pleasure. It seems to be a racial custom, which carries around knives or revolvers at all times, and when some argument ensues, the weapon of itself suggests the crime—automatically almost. When these weapons are carried by those who indulge in drink, they almost invariably get them into serious trouble.

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blinds the fancied necessity of being prepared for the worst at all times. Did they realize that our leaders in politics and business go through the streets without either dagger or gun they might be led to see the folly of a course that puts so many of them in the hospitals and in the jails.

Until the time comes when the carrying of arms will be discontinued in communities such as ours it is well that the authorities should be vigilant, and lines such as those recently imposed by Judge Enright cannot be considered excessive. It is not often that one who carries a gun or other weapon without a license can be apprehended before the commission of some shooting or stabbing, and when one such is caught, the law should do everything possible to discourage the indiscriminate carrying of weapons, by those not fitted by environment or temperament to go through our public streets armed.

## LETTERS FROM OTHER CITIES

It would be gratifying to realize that the many letters from the officials of other cities requesting information on the results of the commission form of government in Lowell, were prompted by the reputation of this city for efficient municipal government, but it is to be feared that they are rather the result of our recent undesirable advertising of everything connected with Lowell and its people. Could the correspondents come here personally and compare the advance made by Lowell under the new charter with its stagnation under the old form of government, they would be convinced of the comparative merits of the new system, but it is difficult to see how a letter from those responsible in great measure for our unsavory reputation throughout the state will be convincing. Were the present city government to allege that the new charter has been a benefit to the city, they would be explaining away the accusations made during the recent campaign, and were they to allege that Lowell has retrogressed, they would be discredited everywhere except where the campaign utterances of last December had gained credence.

These letters from distant cities ought to bring home to us once for all the importance of conducting clean and honorable political campaigns, free from the undesirable elements of malicious abuse, baseless accusations and dishonestly personified that would lead a stranger to regard Lowell as a den of thieves. When so many of our leading citizens are engaged in making it attractive to those who may be contemplating residential or business changes, it is unfortunate that a few men should hold up our city as a hotbed of political corruption merely as a ruse to induce the people to elect new men to office.

## BEN GRETT PLAYERS

When added to the artistic appeal of the Ben Greet players who will present "The Merchant of Venice" in this city next Tuesday evening is the humanitarian purpose of those who have made their presentation of the famous drama possible, there can be no doubt that the response of the Lowell public will be ready and that its liberal patronage is already assured. The summer playgrounds have been the means of giving health and happiness to hundreds of our children yearly, and their enthusiastic supporters have been untiring in the good work of raising the necessary funds. Apart from this merit of the performance, therefore, it is certain that hundreds of our people would attend any entertainment which aimed at supplying the needs of the children, but when added to this is the reputation of Mr. Greet and his players, who give interpretations of Shakespeare in the Elizabethan manner, according to the highest dramatic and artistic traditions, it is certain that there will be an audience large enough to do justice to Lowell's artistic reputation as well as to its sense of public generosity and civic spirit.

## SECOND-CLASS MAIL

The Boston Globe, speaking of the claim of Postmaster-General Burleson that second-class mail matter does not pay the government sufficiently for its transportation, says:

"To assert offhand that periodicals do not pay their own way in full from publisher to reader is easy; to substantiate the statement, under the present system of postal accounting, is practically impossible."

It gets on to say that if the claim of the government can be substantiated, new rates should be adopted, based on accurate information. It is widely called attention to the universal campaign of education which will impress on foreigners and others that reforms such as a one-cent letter rate to the law-abiding American citizen has no need of knives and revolvers in the pursuit of his business or pleasure. It seems to be a racial custom, which carries around knives or revolvers at all times, and when some argument ensues, the weapon of itself suggests the crime—automatically almost. When these weapons are carried by those who indulge in drink, they almost invariably get them into serious trouble.

greater reforms, but until then, anything involving reconstruction should be approached warily.

## FIRE WASTE

The official organ of the Boston chamber of commerce calls attention to the fact that in Boston last year the fire losses totaled \$3,100,000 worth of property and forty-one lives. It adds: "Practically every fire could have been prevented by the enforcement of reasonable regulations." With this in mind, the Boston chamber has introduced into the legislature a bill embodying some of the regulations which the fire department and board of trade of this city have been advocating locally with evident results.

## Seen and Heard

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The most romantic relic of highwayman's days that still remain on or about the first stage of the way to the west is the Bell of Onseley, near Old Windsor, Eng. This picturesque riverside inn was the resort of a number of highwaymen, among them Henry Whitney, who, in some respects, resembled Turpin. Riding one day a little farther down the western road, he met a solitary traveler, whom he greeted with the traditional formula, "Stand and deliver."

"It was well you spoke first," replied the stranger, "for I was going to make a similar demand."

"Why, then, you are a gentleman thief," Whitney cried.

"Yes," said the horseman, "but I have had very bad success today, for I have been riding in and down all the morning without meeting any prize."

Whitney, after wishing him better luck, rode away. At night, after reflecting certain changes in his dress, he put up at an inn. Among the other guests was the luckless horseman whom he had encountered. This gentleman did not recognize Whitney, who overheard him tell a fellow-traveler that he had met a thief that morning, professing to be on the road himself, and had secured a hundred pounds. He laughed, also, the candidate's reply, which was to the effect that he, too, had a considerable sum in his possession, and that they would if

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his company would be agreeable, travel together the next day.

Soon after the two had left the inn on the following morning Whitney caught them up and demanded their money.

"O. ho," the "pauker" proceeded after they had both tied their themselves to be fellow "collectors." "You, Messieurs Highwaymen, should have kept your secret a little longer and not have boasted of having outwitted a thief. There is now nothing for you but deliver or die."

Naturally, they chose the former alternative, and as a result Whitney obtained a hundred pounds from one of them and considerably more from the other.—Wide World Magazine.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

PERHAPS! Brockton Times: A public-spirited Californian, anonymously, has sent \$20 toward the government's purchase of the telephone and telegraph lines, and if every man, woman and child in the United States will do likewise, perhaps the scheme may be put through.

TIPPING Newport News: The bill before the legislature prohibiting the giving or taking of tips in hotels, restaurants and public amusement places is one of the best of the extent to which opposition to this prevalent practice has extended. It is significant that the measure is introduced at the request of the Commercial Travelers' association, because the members of that body are the worst sufferers from the custom. They are moving about all the time and so are compelled to submit to it constantly, while most other persons encounter it only occasionally.

GRAFT ELSEWHERE Nashville Telegraph: Not all business dishonesty is confined to the United States. Canada has been investigating the construction of one of its transcontinental railroad lines and finds that the project was needlessly extended, or 25 per cent of the total cost of the road. Eleven firms received about \$5,000,000 for doing nothing. All of which goes to show that graft is not included in any particular line of latitude or longitude.

SLUMS Lawrence Telegram: As Alphonse P. Bacon says in the Survey, "It is not enough to wonder how one could expect any of the children of our slums to have any true of these slums could we expect that out of these thousands of miserable 'homes' should be born an architect or artist, author, statesman, or even one decent citizen? How could we expect one of them, when they grow up, to vote for civic improvement, or to stand for

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churches or schools? How could we expect any of them to be patriots?

## A SPARTAN REGIME

Haverhill Gazette: What the primitive man effected through the stern discipline of stronger needs, we must learn to bring about consciously and purposely through a Spartan regime of self-control and self-denial which shall fit us for the growing strength of our present mode of life. Temperance in drinking and a good many other things are required by the man or woman who would meet the highest demands of the high pressure of modern existence.

## CIVIL PENSION SYSTEM

Salem News: Massachusetts has a lodge-podge civil pension system. It is full of crudities and abuses, moreover, with favoritism and abuses. As a general thing, the highest-paid public employees have been picked out for pensioning, the payments in many cases totalling more than the yearly wages of private toilers in the last analysis. To make the abuse the more glaring, the payments in many cases totalling more than the yearly wages of private toilers in the last analysis. To make the abuse the more glaring, the payments in many cases totalling more than the yearly wages of private toilers in the last analysis.

## COMMUNICATIONS

### "BOY SCOUTS" VS. MILITIA

I have read with surprise the article written by "A Suburban Scoutmaster" in a recent issue of the Courier-Citizen. First, he claims the object of the boy scout movement is to carry the boy through the adolescent period of his life. That period is between the ages of 14 and 25, and the boy scout movement has only to do with the boy from 8 to 14 years old.

He also says: "Now I don't know how Adjutant General Pearson can assist the idea of universal peace if he thinks that a boy scout should gravitate quite naturally into the militia. That same dream of universal peace has passed its progress before, and the awakening has always come. In the same old way, with somebody bigger, stronger, and rougher than the dreamer bursting in the doors and taking possession. He again says: "All Honor to the militia, though the goal of the boy must be true manhood and there must be no mistake." Is there a doubt about the attainment of true manhood in the militia, is there a better goal for the young man than a term of service in the National Guard, where he is drilled, taught real discipline and braced in his true reality, and patriotism and love of country. To me it seems the American people need a tremendous amount of enlightenment on subjects military. Our enemies are active and awake, they do not hesitate to use every species of deceit and falsehood to forward their unpatriotic aims. He again says: "We teach him patriotism because he must be patriotic and love his country. Instead of boasting about it, he must serve it by being a good citizen."

The Utopian has only his dream. China smoked the same pipe of universal peace centuries ago; she said you must serve our cause, we are real patriots, and because she could not bring the world to her way of thinking she shut herself off from the rest of the world. Note the change today, she is drilling armies, and encouraging martial spirit. Her cycle has been completed there, but the price of her folly is not yet paid.

It was the American people and teachers who, through practical knowledge, placed China where she has been since. Our practical patriotism asserted itself.

The suburban scoutmaster has failed to see the broad meaning of the suggestion of the adjutant general. We must prepare for tomorrow, and how simple, how easy, to instill that necessary preliminary military training in the minds of our growing youth, through the boys' brigades and boy scouts, now essential to our country's integrity under adverse possibilities.

Teach him to be prepared, teach him love of country; teach him that the greatest honor that may come to him is to serve his country. Would you hire the unskilled to operate your machinery? No—well, the same applies to our country's service. It takes years of training to make good soldiers. Shades of those who perished from hunger and starvation at Valley Forge while congress engaged in polemic argument in Philadelphia; shades of the million youths who perished in the Civil war, the victims of our failure to train them as soldiers before the call to arms; shades of those thousands who died in 1913, murdered by the teachers, the doctrinaires and the politicians who derided the necessity of preparation. Wait on those learned gentlemen and suggest that they have not read their histories, nor

assimilated the truths contained in their pages. May we not hope to be saved from the dangerous influence of the molly-coddle pacemakers who would give us a nation of so-called men devoid of the real spirit of manhood and patriotism that stands ever ready to defend right and liberty at any sacrifice and not only this but stand always prepared to do so whenever the interests of the country require their service.

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## Contest Over Ex-Gov. Guild, Who is Favored by Gov. Walsh

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 18.—The Gov. Guild was named by Gov. Walsh as one of the trustees of the Boston & Maine railroad at the big conference held here yesterday to settle the terms of the agreement separating that system from the New Haven.

The governor insisted that Mr. Guild was qualified in every way to represent the state of Massachusetts in the board of trustees, which is to have charge of the rehabilitation of the Boston & Maine under the agreement to be set forth as a court decree from the federal department of justice. Considerable objection was made by New Haven interests against the choice of Mr. Guild on the ground that he was prejudiced against the interests of the New Haven. It was stated that at the conference, which took place in the federal department of justice between Governor Walsh, Chairman Elliott of the New Haven, Mr. Storey, Special Assistant Attorney General, and Louis D. Brandeis, mention was made of what was called a "bitter attack" made upon Mr. Guild by Mr. Storey some years ago, in which he described him as a "bull-necked, red-faced bully."

In any event, Governor Walsh stuck out for ex-Governor Guild. He also presented the name of Victor W. Atterton, member of the public service commission of Massachusetts, as another trustee.

The name of George W. L. Meyer, former ambassador to Russia, was presented by Mr. Storey and was accepted. A committee called upon Attorney-General McKennan, to present the name of John J. Martin, president of the Massachusetts real estate exchange.

The conference, which opened in the afternoon and extended late last night, broke up without any final decision being arrived at one the names of the trustees or the terms of the settlement. At the close of this conference it was practically decided by the administration that the terms of the agreement would be left to be fought out between the New Haven and Governor Walsh.

The governor called in Louis D. Brandeis early in the day to talk with him before the meeting of the conference.

Practically the only matter in which all parties in the conference were in agreement was that former Chief Justice Knowlton of the supreme court of Massachusetts should be selected as chairman of the board of trustees.

The fight on the choice of trustees is based mainly on the fact that most of the men being named by the New Haven interests, like Alford Crocker, Fletcher and Charles H. Brown of Boston, are identified with the financial interests controlling the stock of the Boston & Maine.

Governor Walsh takes the stand that the men to be named as trustees should be of the type that are not interested in any way in the finances of the road, but who are willing to accept the place on the board as a matter of public duty.

The complete program of the evening was as follows: "King Cotton," orchestra; sketch, "The Hotel Halfback," with the following cast: Silas Scott, proprietor of the Hotel Halfback, G. Jasper; E. Z. Brady, who has been better days, also nights, K. Slipp; Jacob Jobshiri, the butcher next door, W. Redding; Washington White, porter in the Hotel Halfback, C. White; Terrible Terry, a Bowery buck, J. Hurd; Charles Chasman, a musician, R. Thissell; Seldom Seld, a traveling salesman, B. Normand; Curly Coffey, an up-to-date waitress, P. Jarvis.

Second part—Selection "College Chaps," orchestra.

Third part—Miss Vera Slipp, pianist; Ed Perry, interloper; Kenneth Slipp, Grant Jasper, Clinton Wright and Charles H. Brown, assisted by the entire company, in a medley of popular songs, as follows: Grand opening chorus, entire company; song, "I'm Going Back to Carolina," G. Jasper; ballad, "These Songs My Mother Used to Sing," Bob Hollingworth; and song, "Some of Our Friends," Charles Wells; tenor solo, "As the Years Roll By," E. Costello; and song, "Do You Take This Woman for Your Lawful Wife?" K. Slipp; and song, "She Got Even With Steven," C. Wright; grand finale, "These Divine Hymns of Southern Gray," entire company.

**CURLEY TO QUIT CONGRESS**

**MAYOR OF BOSTON PLANS TO RESIGN JUNE 1—THIS SAVE CITY \$12,000 FOR SPECIAL ELECTIONS**

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—Mayor Curley announced last night that it is his intention to resign his congressional seat June 1. It is expected congress will adjourn on that date or soon afterward.

The mayor has decided on resigning at that time, he said, that if nomination may be possible in September to fill his unexpired term, which ends March 4, 1916, and the full term that follows. Said he:

"In view of the democratic majority in excess of two to one, and in view of the additional fact that a special election represents an expense to the city of approximately \$12,000, and results in inconvenience and a possible loss to business in the district, I have decided to accept this offer."

The election of a candidate for the unexpired term and also for the full term may be voted upon on the same ballot in the state election in the fall, and thereby save the city several thousand dollars.

**LAWRENCE ST. CHURCH**

**OPENED SUCCESSFUL BAZAAR IN THE VESTRY LAST EVENING**

There was a large attendance at the opening of the annual bazaar of the Lawrence Street P. M. church which took place last night in the vestry of the church. The room was beautifully decorated for the occasion with red and white and blue bunting and the various tables and booths erected along the walls of the hall did a thriving business.

The chairman of the evening was Rev. N. W. Matthews, who was introduced to the assembly by Miss Agnes Chapman, and the entertainment program consisted of musical selections and readings by Mrs. Clara M. Flora, Miss Flora Bennett, and Gallegos's orchestra. The bazaar will continue through Saturday evening. (This evening Dr. Yarnell of the Y. M. C. A. will act as chairman.)

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# ALBANIA RULER

## Prince William of Wied Making Tour Before Accepting Crown

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Prince William of Wied, who is about to become sovereign of Albania and is making a tour of the capitals of Europe before meeting the delegation of Albanian notables, which is formally to offer him the crown, arrived in London from the continent today. He was received with royal honors, being met by representatives of King George and of the British foreign office. He will visit the king and Sir Edward Grey, secretary of state for foreign affairs later.

After his departure from London he will pay a similar visit to Paris, his object being to demonstrate that he is not exclusively under the influence of the Triple Alliance, composed of Austria-Hungary, Germany and Italy.

# TAX RATE OF COUNTIES

FIGURES SENT OUT BY MIDDLESEX COUNTY COMMISSION FOR ALL COUNTIES

The county commissioners have issued a statement showing the comparative rate of county taxation which is presumably correct. The county figures are as follows, the tax rate being for \$1000 valuation:

|           | 1901   | 1904   | 1907   | 1910   | 1913   |
|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Barstable | \$4.50 | \$0.95 | \$1.17 | \$1.25 | \$0.96 |
| Berkshire | 1.18   | 1.58   | 1.36   | 1.17   | 1.22   |
| Bristol   | 1.17   | 1.53   | 1.39   | 1.31   | 1.09   |
| Dukes Co. | 1.21   | 1.51   | 1.32   | 1.45   | 1.20   |
| Essex     | 0.51   | 1.00   | 1.10   | 1.29   | 1.17   |
| Franklin  | 2.24   | 2.08   | 1.86   | 1.77   | 1.61   |
| Hampden   | 0.51   | 0.97   | 1.01   | 0.91   | 0.75   |
| Hampshire | 1.22   | 2.06   | 1.33   | 1.11   | 1.02   |
| Middlesex | 1.21   | 0.99   | 0.78   | 0.97   | 0.93   |
| Norfolk   | 0.56   | 0.65   | 0.63   | 0.55   | 0.50   |
| Plymouth  | 1.12   | 1.16   | 1.10   | 1.21   | 1.24   |
| Worcester | 1.03   | 1.06   | 1.03   | 0.94   | 0.79   |

The per capita tax on the population given according to the latest census reports was as follows:

|           | 1901   | 1913   |
|-----------|--------|--------|
| Barstable | \$0.87 | \$1.41 |
| Berkshire | 0.97   | 1.01   |
| Bristol   | 1.13   | 1.01   |
| Dukes Co. | 1.21   | 1.07   |
| Essex     | 0.67   | 1.10   |
| Franklin  | 1.12   | 1.12   |
| Hampden   | 0.51   | 0.63   |
| Hampshire | 1.22   | 0.90   |
| Middlesex | 0.98   | 0.95   |
| Norfolk   | 0.50   | 1.13   |
| Plymouth  | 0.82   | 1.23   |
| Worcester | 0.92   | 0.79   |

The state tax rate per \$1000 valuation and per capita is given as follows:

|                    | 1901   | 1913   |
|--------------------|--------|--------|
| State tax rate     | \$0.85 | \$1.50 |
| Per capita (state) | .32    | .23    |

# REV. LEWIS PHILLIPS DEAD

BRIDGTON, N. H., Feb. 18.—Rev. Lewis Phillips, who for years was pastor of the Christian church here, died today. He was born in Woodstock, Vt., 56 years ago and had held pastorates at Haverhill, Mass., and Lowell, Me.

# AMUSEMENT NOTES

**OPERA HOUSE**  
A feature dramatic in the extreme, strikingly original in conception of plot and denouement, is the three-act Warner product, "The Broken Barrier," to be shown for the first time in this city at the Opera House today. It is a story of gripping intensity and has a strange blending of humor with soul-wrenching pathos. Seldom has any picture been staged in more appropriate or beautiful surroundings. Nearly all the scenes being enacted on a desert island in the South Pacific and are remarkably effective. Among the other offerings to be shown for the first time are "The Right and Wrong of It," a village drama, "The Doctor's Stratagem," an Edison comedy, "Blue Blood and Red," a Self masterpiece, and "Good Pals," from the Pathé Freres.

**THE NEW HENRIETTA**  
William H. Crane, Douglas Fairbanks, Annette Bingham and Pauline Collins are the stars of the new dramatic production to be seen here at the head of an equally strong cast in "The New Henrietta" soon.

The play is by Winchell Smith and Victor Maps and is based upon Bronson Howard's famous comedy of similar title. It scored a phenomenal success at the Knickerbocker theatre, New York city, and is seen on tour in order to all engagements which were contracted for earlier in the season when the stellar combination was originally formed.

**KIPP'S THEATRE**  
"The Best Cure" headlined at the Kipp's theatre this week, provides very excellent amusement for the seeker after novelty accompanied with

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music and fun. Three vaudeville stars appear in the little musical piece, Alan Brooks and Spencer and Williams. Brooks has the part of the young man who negotiates a circular staircase in amusing manner, while Spencer and Williams are the young married couple who are anxious to sell the sanatorium that they may take a honeymoon trip. Our musical numbers, about some real sprightly dancing and singing rich add to the festivity of the production. Van Brothers in their original funny have something which is undeniably good. The comedian of the pair trots out old things in an amusing manner. The playing of the pair is good. Ned McKimley, a daffy old comedian, entertains in a variety of manners, confining himself to no one style. He is good. Mang and Snyder, athletic marvels, are really wonderful, and Gibby and Bicknell in "Small Town Johnny" are entertaining always. Our points on the bill are: Galando, a singer; and the Pathe Weekly. Good seats for all performances may be secured in advance at the box office. Phone 23.

**MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE**  
If you are, or rather were a depositor in the Traders' National bank of this city, you will no doubt be interested to learn that in answering the question "What about my money in the Traders?" Madame Fay has predicted that payments will be made to the principal of March and that they will be much larger than has been generally expected. This is only one of the many interesting answers to questions which are more elaborately detailed and actually presented, and when their atmosphere is created by the adjunct of rhapsody and paint, rather than by the art of the actor, Shakespeare needs only ability on the part of the actor to read his lines properly, and the artistic temperament to invest them with life and meaning. Then they may be presented under the great canopy of heaven in the sylvan shade of the forest, or in the rough unwhimpered interior of a barn, and his dramatic fire, his subtle wit and humor, his tears of sorrow engendered, all sound as true and genuine as if presented in the world with all its scenic accessories and mechanical devices constructed for the purpose of bringing realism to the faces of the modern dramatists.

**THE OWL THEATRE**  
The loss of a young man's fortune makes his fiancée's father turn him

down, but in a dream he sees a fortune in one of his ancestral property, and acting upon impulse he goes to see the truth of his dream. To his surprise, he finds a fortune at his feet, but is entombed alive, and is rescued by a young girl, who is poor, but lovable, and she finally wins his heart. This is the plot of "The Phantom Dargoon," in three acts, which will be shown today and tomorrow at the Owl. Five other reels of mixed subjects will also be shown. "The Mutual Girl" will go through her third adventure on Friday and Saturday. Another big 2500 production will also be shown on these days, it is a story of circus life, with a big zoo and acrobats, etc., in the cast. This will be worth seeing.

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# Fight for Adj. Gen. Pearson's Place

## LOCAL POLICE ARREST ALLEGED DESPERADOS

Said to Have Figured in Hold-Up  
in the City of Lawrence—Taken  
Thither by Lawrence Police

Louis Greenwood and Athanasios Verrier, aged 20 and 19 years respectively, were arrested this morning at 1:30 o'clock at the Colonial House on Colburn street by Officers Grenell and McMahon at the request of the Lawrence police. The two men, although young, are considered dangerous characters.

The two prisoners, together with three others, figured in a holdup in the downtown city last week which was one of the boldest acts of its kind that the Lawrence police have had to deal with in recent years.

A Lawrence storekeeper by the name  
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## THE GORE CASE THE OWEN BILL

Attorney for Senator At-  
tacks Mrs. Bond, the  
Plaintiff

Opposition Took Form  
of Movement to Drop  
Measure

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Feb. 18.—Termination of arguments and placing of the case in the hands of the jury was expected here today in the trial of the damage suit of Mrs. Minnie Bond against Thomas P. Gore, United States senator from Oklahoma. The plaintiff asks \$50,000 from the senator as the result of an alleged attack made on her in a Washington hotel.

Robert L. Rogers, an attorney of Little Rock, Ark., today addressed the jury in the senator's behalf. He insisted that the senator in going to meet Mrs. Bond at her hotel was making no clandestine visit, that he had made it known before he left his office that he was going to the hotel to talk with Mrs. Bond.

Rogers contended that evidence in the trial showed that Mrs. Bond was a party to the alleged conspiracy against the senator and that she knew the motive behind was political opposition to the senator.

"This woman," he exclaimed, "complains that on account of the publicity given the affair in the hotel she has been damaged \$50,000 worth. Who gave the affair publicity, gentlemen? She did, and the three men with her in the conspiracy."

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## GEO. N. NEVILLE DEAD

WAS FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE  
NEW YORK COTTON EXCHANGE  
DIED OF APPENDICITIS

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—George N. Neville, one of the most prominent members of the New York cotton exchange and its president during 1911 and 1912, died today in Elizabeth, N. J., after an operation for appendicitis. He was born in Virginia 55 years ago.

## SEATON JOINS FEDERALS

PHILADELPHIA PITCHER SIGNED  
WITH BROOKLYN FEDERALS. IT  
IS REPORTED

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Tom Seaton, last year pitcher with the Philadelphia Nationals, signed today to pitch for the Federal league. It was announced from headquarters Seaton will go to Brooklyn.

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## LIVELY HEARING AT STATE HOUSE TODAY



ADJ. GENERAL GARDNER W. PEARSON

## On Bill to Reduce Term of Adjutant General to One Year — Military Men Praised Adjutant-General Pearson's Administration

A hearing on the bill making the tenure of office of the adjutant general one year, instead of five years was held before the committee on military affairs at the state house this forenoon. The bill was strenuously opposed by friends of the present adjutant, that a term of one year did not give

complete any specific plan or course that he might have in mind for the betterment of the militia; that one year did not suffice to carry out any continued policy for the efficiency of the militia.

It was two years ago that the tenure  
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## BALL OF FIRE

Burst Into Pieces and  
Sank Into Sea, Say  
Passengers

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Among the remarkable testimony told by the passengers of the steamer Columbia of the Anchor line and the Red Star liner Lapland, both of which came into port today three days late, was the account of a large and brilliant meteor which burned its way through the snow and hail and plunged hissing into the sea within a short distance of the Lapland.

Passengers said that on Friday night they were startled by the appearance in the northern sky of a brilliant ball of fire. It seemed to them at one time almost certain to fall on the Lapland's deck. Instead it burst into pieces with the report of a cannon and sank into the sea.

## YOUNG MRS. ASTOR WINS SUIT

PITTSFIELD, Feb. 18.—A jury before City Court Justice McAvoy returned a verdict of \$665 yesterday for Mrs. Madeline Force Astor in a suit for \$1000. She sued for damage done to the portico of her Fifth avenue house when a department store wagon and a Fifth avenue bus were in collision in front of the door.

The jury decided that the department store wagon was at fault and returned the verdict against the store alone.

## ATTENTION! Div. 1, A. O. H.

47th Anniversary Tomorrow Night  
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Members and friends requested to attend.  
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## CUT THROUGH ICE

Two Powerful Tugs  
Opened Channel at  
Mouth of Hudson

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Two powerful tugs, aided by a rise in the temperature, succeeded this afternoon in smashing a channel through the ice that had locked the Hudson river between New York and Yonkers. The tugs were sent out by the Federal Sugar Refining Co. after the government revenue service had reported that its cutters were unable to raise the blockade. They made a path through which waiting ships loaded with coal and raw sugar were able to reach the companies' docks at Yonkers.

Unless the weather turns cold again the company expects no further trouble keeping the channel open. As a precaution, however, the tugs were kept playing up and down the river.

## Third Edition WRIT OF MANDAMUS MAY BE NEXT STEP

To Compel Municipal Council to  
Carry Out Provisions of Charter  
in Hospital Controversy

It is understood that Lawyer Dunbar will ask the court to issue a writ of mandamus to compel the municipal council to purchase the Pillsbury site or else to call a special election as provided for by the charter on petition of 20 per cent. of the vote cast for the mayoralty candidates at the last municipal election.

The municipal council has voted to submit the matter to the voters at the next city election and on Tuesday when the city clerk submitted a certificate of sufficiency on the initiative petition the council refused to receive its action.

## PRESIDENT MAKES DENIAL

Charge That Sec. Tumulty Withholds Mails Referring to Catholics False, He Says

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—In a letter to W. W. Prescott, editor of the Protestant Magazine, published here, President Wilson has denied emphatically that his correspondence is handled with religious prejudice by his secretary, Joseph P. Tumulty. The correspondence made public today by the magazine follows:

Asks Statement of President.

The president, Washington, D. C., Jan. 15, 1914:

Sir: I learn from personal interviews and correspondence that there is a widespread feeling among Protestants that it is practically impossible for any communication relating to the activities of the Roman Catholic church to reach you personally, to the reason that all such letters are withheld from you by your private secretary, Mr. Tumulty. It is an unfortunate both for you and for the country that such an impression prevails and that it seems to have some foundation.

Before dealing with this subject in this magazine, I am writing to ask for statement from you which might be of service in restoring confidence among some of the best citizens of this republic.

he. An reply, however, brief, showing that his letter actually reached you would be a source of satisfaction.

When you were governor of New Jersey I wrote you concerning some criticisms of your correspondence in which you were charged with showing favoritism to the Roman Catholic church, and your reply placed the matter in such a light that I did not deem it necessary to make any reference to the subject. My desire is to deal fairly with public men, and hence this letter. Thanking you for any attention which you may give to my request, I am yours very truly,

W. W. Prescott.

The President's Reply

The president's reply under date of Jan. 15, 1914, follows:

My Dear Sir: Allow me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of Jan. 15 and to thank you for your candor in writing me.

I beg leave to assure you that the impression that any part of my correspondence is withheld from me on any circumstances by my secretary on account of religious predilections, on his part is absurdly and utterly false.

I venture to say that no president ever had more frank and satisfactory relations with his secretary than I have with mine. The whole of my correspondence is constantly open to me. Mr. Tumulty is more prompt perhaps to call my attention to matters in which his prejudice is supposed to be engaged than to other matters of relative indifference.

Of course, I need hardly add I am not speaking from an impression, but from knowledge of just how my correspondence is handled. Sincerely yours,

Woodrow Wilson.

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## ARREST YALE STUDENT

CHARGED WITH THEFT OF CAMERAS FROM STUDENTS' ROOMS WHERE HE LIVED

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 18.—Albert Krumsey, 19, of St. Louis, Mo., a member of the sophomore class at Yale was arrested today charged with the theft of cameras from students' rooms in the dormitory in which he lived.

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## SHIP CONTRACT

Naval Supply Vessel to be Built at Charlestown Navy Yard

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—The navy department yesterday afternoon formally announced that it had awarded the contract for the new naval supply ship to the Charlestown navy yard.

Before publicly announcing the award the navy department privately informed the mayor of its action, on account of his activity in seeking to get the contract for Boston.

When the mayor heard the news, he said: "Another campaign pledge fulfilled." The building of the ship means the expenditure of about \$1,225,000 in labor and material and the steady employment of about 2200 men, most of whom are now laid off.

## LOSS IS \$10,000

Plant of Fall River Herald Badly Damaged by Fire Today

FALL RIVER, Feb. 18.—The plant of the Fall River Evening Herald Publishing Co. on Potassett street was badly damaged by fire this morning. The blaze originated in the press room and these quarters together with the stereotyping department, suffered extensively from the great volume of water that was poured into the lower stories to prevent the blaze spreading. The damage is estimated at \$10,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

## BURNETT BILL AGAIN

SENATE IMMIGRATION COMMITTEE RESUMES CONSIDERATION OF THE MEASURE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Facing presidential veto of the Burnett immigration bill should it pass congress with the literacy test provision incorporated in it, the senate immigration committee today resumed consideration of the measure. The prospects were for a lively session for despite President Wilson's opposition to the much discussed tenor of the provision, members of the committee were inclined to retain that feature in the bill as it passed the house.

Word that the president would exercise his veto prerogative in event the bill was received by him with the literacy test provision, came as a great surprise to committee members. They had been under the impression that while he did not favor that feature he would sign the bill if it passed congress.

Now, however, the practical certainty of veto awaiting the bill should it be passed with the literacy test provision has caused the committee to reconsider the situation and members of the committee were prepared to throw it over when they met today.

## HORSE KILLED BY STORM

VALUABLE TROTTER TOSSED TO DEATH ON BOARD SHIP—HORSES SOLD AT N. Y. AUCTION

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Peter Bluhken, 2101-4, a six-year-old stallion by Peter the Great, brought \$5000, the highest price at the opening day yesterday of the mid-winter horse auction of Madison Square garden. He was sold to the syndicate stable of Syracuse, N. Y.

Thirty-one two-year-old trotters from L. V. Harkness' Walnut Hill farm, Kentucky, brought \$10,960. Senator David Todd of Youngstown, O., paid \$1875, the top for Gov. Cox, a Moko colt out of Melva J, 2101-2, one of the fastest daughters of Peter the Great, 2071-4, 15 of whose colts are to be sold today.

The Peer, 2187, listed as the second horse in the sale, was killed on board ship while en route from Halifax to New York. The stallion was tossed about and killed in a storm which the ship encountered.

The storm which killed The Peer and delayed the arrival of many horses consigned to the sale, caused the serious illness of another fast stallion yesterday's catalogue. This was Blinville, 2171-4, winner of \$2500 in his first campaign as a three-year-old last season.

## WILD DUCKS STARVING

THOUSANDS ARE DYING OF HUNGER—LONG ISLAND RESIDENTS TAKE FOOD OVER ICE

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The pitiful spectacle of thousands of wild ducks dying of hunger has aroused the residents of Sayville, Islip, Rockhaven and other Long Island towns on the great south bay to action and daily they are taking large quantities of food over the ice-covered bay to the fowl.

## "DOC NEEDLES" IS DEAD

VETERAN SPORTING MAN AT ONE TIME TROUBLED COUNTRY WITH JOHN L. SULLIVAN

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 18.—George E. Downing, popularly known from coast to coast as "Doc Needles," is dead at his home here at the age of 81. Death, which occurred last night, was due to complications of an illness. For years he was prominent in sporting and theatrical circles and at one time toured the country in a theatrical production with John L. Sullivan.

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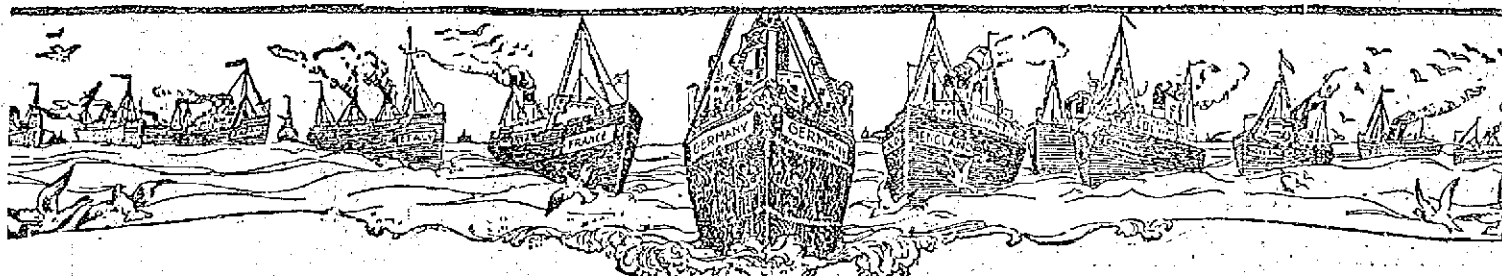
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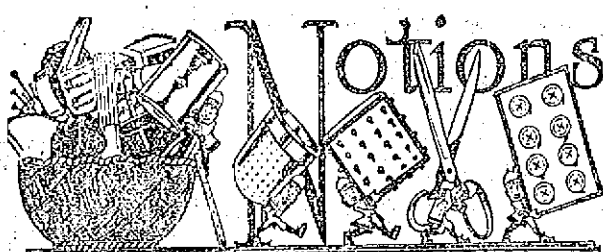
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Adamantine Pins, full count, needle point. Value 3c paper ..... 4 for 5c

Madam Lloyd's Brass Pins, nickel plated, fine finish. Value 10c paper ..... 4 for 5c

"Defender" Safety Pins, nickel plated, all sizes, 1 dozen on card. Value 5c ..... 3 for 5c

"Clinton" Safety Pins, all sizes, nickel plated, 1 dozen on card. Value 5c ..... 3 for 5c

Invisible Hair Pins, 50 in box, assorted sizes. Value 5c ..... 10 for 5c

Assorted Belt Pins, large sheet, assorted styles and sizes. Value 10c ..... 50 Sheet

Elastic Corset Laces, 3 yards long. Value 5c ..... 2 for 5c

Tape Measures, full size, brass tipped. Value 1c ..... 10 Each

Stocking Darners, enamel finish, all colors. Value 6c ..... 30 Each

Sanitary Belts, well made, all sizes. Value 20c ..... 90 Each

Sanitary Aprons, fine quality, pin-on-style. Value 25c ..... 14c Each

Sanitary Napkins, best quality, 1 dozen in box. Value 25c ..... 14c Box

"Smart Set" Hooks and Eyes, all sizes, black and white, 3 dozen on card. Value 5c ..... 2 for 5c

Atlas Hooks and Eyes, all brass will not rust, all sizes, black or white, Special at ..... 3c Card

## HOSE

## SUPPORTERS

"Tom Boy" Brand Hose Supporters, good quality webbing, black or white, all sizes. Value 10c-15c a pair ..... 7c Pair

Women's Pad Garters, silk finish, large pad, all colors, rubber tipped fasteners. Value 25c pair ..... 14c Pair

## Merrick's "Gilt Edge"

Darning Cotton, best made, black, white and tan. Value 3c ball ..... 3 for 5c

Vienna Elastic, half oval, good quality, black or white, all widths. Value 3c yard ..... 4 Yards for 5c

English Twisted Tape, 10 yard pieces, black or white, all widths. Value 10c ..... 7c Piece

24 Yard White Cotton Tape, good quality. Value 10c piece ..... 7c Piece

Cube Pins, full count, black or white. Value 5c ..... 2 for 5c

Hair Pins, assorted sizes, full size bunch. Value 1c bunch ..... 3 for 1c

Little Beauty Invisible Hair Pins, large box, assorted sizes. Value 5c box ..... 2 for 5c

Hair Pin Cabinets, large size, assorted style pins. Value 10c box ..... 7c Box

## HOOKS AND EYES

"DeLong" Hooks and Eyes, the genuine make—See that hump! All sizes, 2 dozen on card, black and white. Value 10c ..... 6c Card

"Regent" Linen Finish Thread, all numbers. Value 3c spool ..... 4 for 5c

"Warrior" Linen Finish Thread, 100 yard spools, black or white. Value 5c spool ..... 3c Spool

Dressmakers' Sewing Silk, fine quality, large spool, black only, all sizes. Value 25c ..... 14c Spool

Pearl Buttons, superfine quality, fish eye style, good sizes. Value 15c-20c card ..... 9c Card

Crochet Buttons, finely made patterns, 3 sizes, white only. Value 20c card ..... 9c Card

Taffeta Silk Seam Binding, "Sterling" brand, full width, 9 yard pieces. Value 17c ..... 9c Piece

"Calmar" and "Asbro" Collar Supporters, 6 on card, slip-on style, all heights. Value 5c card ..... 2 for 5c

Verilight Dress Shields, fine quality, sizes 2, 3, 4. Value 15c ..... 7c Pair

Silk Covered Dress Shields, plain and fancy covering, guaranteed quality, all sizes. Value 25c ..... 11c Pair

Angora Dress Binding Braid, black only, 1 yard pieces, best quality. Value 10c ..... 7c Piece

Elastic Shirtwaist Belts, white or black, assorted sizes. Value 15c ..... 7c Each

Mercerized Darning Cotton, silk finish. Value 5c ball ..... 3 for 5c

"Franko" Brand Dust Caps, good quality, Dutch style, assorted patterns. Value 10c ..... 7c Each

Tomato Style Pin Cushions, 2 sizes. Value 10c ..... 4c Each

Grandma's Flatiron Waxing Pad, perforated, large size. Value 5c ..... 3c Each

Asbestos Ironing Pads, good quality covering, large size. Value 5c ..... 2c Each

Shoe Laces, tubular weave, double tipped, all lengths. Value 10c dozen ..... 7c Dozen

Shoe Laces, good quality, all lengths. Value 5c dozen ..... 3c Dozen

## Extra Specials

10,000 Spools King's Soft Finish Spool Cotton—Black or white, all numbers; value 3c spool. Extra Special, 6 for 10c

"So-No-More" Snap Fasteners—All sizes; black or white; value 5c dozen. Extra Special, 2 doz. 5c

Black Sewing Silk—For machine or hand sewing; all numbers; value 5c spool. Extra Special, 4 for 5c

Pearl Buttons—Good quality; various sizes; 1 dozen on card; value 3c card. Extra Special, 1c card

White Crochet Buttons—Nicely made; new pattern; 3 sizes; value 20c card. Extra Special, 9c card

"Brighton" Baste Cotton—500 yards; all numbers; value 5c. Extra Special, 3c spool

White Rose Soap—Excellent for the toilet or bath; value 5c cake. Extra Special, 2 for 5c

Williams' Shaving Soap—Round shaped barber bar; value 8c. Extra Special, 4c bar

Medicated Toilet Paper—1000 sheets; large package; fine quality; value 10c package. Extra Value, 4 for 25c

Hot Water Bottles—The well known "Pollman" make, 3-quart size; fully guaranteed; value \$1.50. Extra Special, 69c each

## TOILET SOAPS

Jergens' Peroxide Bath Soap, large cake. Value 15c ..... 7c Cake

Pears' Unscented Soap, the best made. Value 15c cake ..... 11c Cake

Woodbury's Facial Soap, finely medicated. Value 25c ..... 17c Cake

Cuticura Soap, the genuine make. Value 25c ..... 18c Cake

Jergens' Violet Glycerine Soap, delicate violet odor. Value 16c ..... 8c Cake

Lettuce Cream Soap, value 3c ..... 3c Cake

Guest Room Size Violet de Parne Soap, four cakes in box; value 15c box. 9c Box

Jergens' Savon Violet and Jergens' Toilet Soap, Value 25c, 14c Cake

Pumice Soap, for removing grease or stains from hands. Value 5c ..... 3c Cake

Stanley's Barber Bar Shaving Soap. Value 5c ..... 2c Bar

Oatmeal and Buttermilk Soap, large cake. Value 5c ..... 3c Cake

Pearl Soap, white floating soap, for bath or toilet. Value 5c cake ..... 3 for 10c

## TOILET NECESSITIES

Woodworth's Arbutus Talcum Powder, Best and white. Value 25c ..... 15c Jar

Peroxide of Hydrogen, "Per-man-ox" brand, full government test, high grade. 16 oz. size. Value 25c ..... 14c Bottle

8 oz. size. Value 15c ..... 7c Bottle

4 oz. size. Value 10c ..... 4c Bottle

Jergens' Oriental Talcum Powder, Coryopsis odor. Value 20c ..... 9c Can

Orris Tooth Powder, excellent dentifrice. Value 20c ..... 9c Bottle

Witch Hazel, finest distilled, full strength, 15 per cent. alcohol grade. 1 lb. size. Value 25c ..... 16c Bottle

1/2 lb. size. Value 15c ..... 8c Bottle

Jergens' Oriental Talcum Powder and Rich's Talcum Powder. Value 15c ..... 9c Can

Borated Talcum Powder, blue and violet odors, sweet and lasting. Value 15c ..... 7c Can

Bay Rum, finest distilled West Indian quality, full strength, large bottle. Value 25c ..... 17c Bottle

"Peerless" Florida Water, large size bottle, highest grade. Value 55c ..... 19c Bottle

Pompeian Mass a go Cream, the most satisfactory and beautiful facial cream. Value 50c ..... 29c Jar



## RUBBER GOODS

Rubber Sponges, best quality, at half price; 20c size ..... 15c Each

Rubber Syringes, first quality rubber, white and red colored, complete with attachments. Value \$1.00 ..... 59c Each

## COMBINATIONS

2 Articles at Price of One

45c Combination 24c 1 bottle Orris Tooth Powder.

1 French Bristle Tooth Brush. Value of both 45c. Both for 24c

30c Combination 15c 1 jar Jergens' Coryopsis Talcum Powder.

1 cake Jergens' Violet Glycerine Soap. Value of both 30c. Both for 16c

40c Combination 19c 1 bottle 2c Martin's Liquid Powder.

1 Silk Sponge for applying powder. Value of both 40c. Both for 19c

30c Combination 16c 1 large Chamomile Skin. 1 can Sweetland Violet Talcum Powder.

Value of both 30c. Both for 16c

30c Combination 17c 1 can William's Talcum Powder.

1 cake Williams' Shaving Soap. Value of both 30c. Both for 17c

50c Combination 25c 1 can Santal Tooth Powder.

1 genuine French Bristle Tooth Brush. Value of both 50c. Both for 29c

40c Combination 23c 1 bottle Peroxide of Hydrogen, 16 oz. size.

1 bottle West Indian Bay Rum, 8 oz. size. Value of both 40c. Both for 23c

45c Combination 27c 1 bottle best Witch Hazel, 8 oz. size.

1 bottle best Florida Water, 8 oz. size. Value of both 45c. Both for 27c

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\$1.75 Combination 95c 1 Hot Water Bottle, 2 quart size.

1 Rubber Syringe, complete with tube and pipes. Value of both \$1.75. Both for 95c

Jergens' Peroxide Bath Soap, also Geranium, Oatmeal and Elderflower odors. Value 15c cake. 2 for 15c

"Laco" Castile Soap, the genuine imported Spanish Castile. Value 10c cake. 2 for 15c

## COMBS AND BRUSHES

Dressing Combs, good quality bone or black rubber. Value 15c to 10c. 7c Each

"Keep Clean" Hair Brushes, fine bristle, aluminum face, solid back, mahogany and ebony finish. Excellent 35c value ..... 24c

Genuine French Bristle Hair Brushes, solid back, superior quality, ebony and mahogany finish. Value \$1.00 ..... 49c

Highest Grade French Bristle Hair Brushes, selected quality, genuine ebony backs. An actual \$1.50 value ..... 95c Each

Japanese Bristle and Fibre Nail Brushes, assorted styles. Value 15c and 10c ..... 9c Each

High Grade Bristle Hand Scrub Brushes, superior quality, assorted sizes and shapes. Value 20c and 25c. 13c Each

Fine French Bristle Tooth Brushes, fine quality, assorted shapes and sizes, plain or perforated backs. Value 25c, 14c Each

Highest Grade Nail and Hand Brushes Combined, ebony and oak finish. An excellent 50c value ..... 29c Each

Whisk Brooms, fine quality corn, two sizes and styles. Value 25c, 14c Each

## OPERA COMPANY QUILTS

REFUSED TO SING AT CUT PRICE AND POLICE SEIZED PROPERTY AND EFFECTS

DENVER, Feb. 18.—Alleging that the local manager by cutting \$750 from his guarantee of \$4500 a performance did not leave sufficient funds to pay salaries, the management of the National Opera company of Canada refused to appear here last night.

In default of the performance, Clair J. Fitch, commissioner of public safety, seized the property of the company and the personal effects of the

## NAVAL APPROPRIATION

HOUSE NAVAL COMMITTEE HAS BEFORE IT TENTATIVE DRAFT OF BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The house naval affairs committee had before it today a tentative draft of the annual naval appropriation bill as prepared

by its sub-committee, a feature of which provides for the dissolution of the navy department's bureau of equipment on July 1 next.

The tentative bill makes no provision whatever for a dry dock on the Atlantic coast as recommended by the navy department.

The bill would provide not exceeding \$500,000 for an enlarged powder factory at Indian Head, Md., together with \$250,000 for other purposes there. It also appropriates \$1,000,000 for purchase and manufacture of smokeless powder. It provides \$100,000 for entertaining officers and crews of foreign fleets at the Panama-Pacific international exposition next year under the president's invitation.

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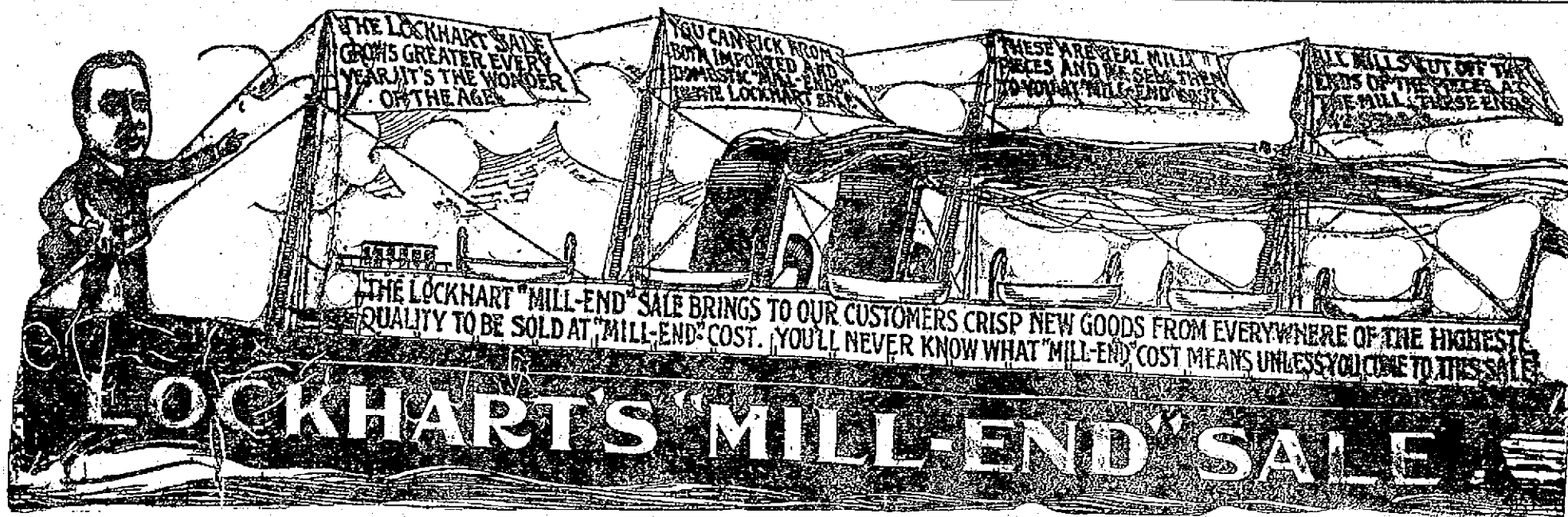


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HERE COMES THE LOCKHART "MILL-END" SALE, THE BIGGEST EVENT IN MERCHANDISING KNOWN TO OUR CITY.

IT IS A WORLD-WIDE MOVEMENT.

HE STARTS HERE

## Tomorrow Morning at 9 o'Clock

Mr. Lockhart's name is known everywhere on account of his own original ideas and the immense success of his business. Any person who draws false conclusions about the Lockhart Sale deliberately runs a dead line across the path of economy and common sense that leads up to the very door of every home. The biggest and best manufacturers were universally interested the first time they ever heard of Mr. Lockhart and his plan of combining the best stores in the big cities, one in each city, and for him to go personally from city to city and hold retail sales in those special big stores on New SHORT-LENGTHS and LEFT-OVER LOTS. A very clever idea, said the mill-owners; 'twill be a howling success, said they all. These Mill-Ends contain the most precious dry goods jewels sense and science can manufacture, for the mills cut the end off of every piece they make. Folly and not wisdom is guiding you, if you miss the first day of this sale. People known as real adroit shoppers, are very careful buyers; they come every season and about every day.

### MILL END SALE OF

#### WOMEN'S COATS

Women's Coats in all the leading shades, regular price \$17.50. Mill End Sale Price..... \$5.00  
Women's Black Coats, plain and rough materials, regular price \$22.50. Mill End Sale Price..... \$10.00

### MILL END SALE OF

#### WOMEN'S DRESSES

Women's Dresses, blue and black serge, regular price \$7.98. Mill End Sale Price..... \$3.98  
Women's Pongee Dresses, regular price \$10.95. Mill End Sale Price \$3.98  
Women's Silk Dresses, blue, black, brown and open, regular price \$12.50. Mill End Sale Price, \$6.98

### MILL END SALE OF

#### FURS

Black Belgian Fur Suits, regular price \$20.00. Mill End Sale Price, \$12.50  
Jap. Mink Muffs, regular price \$15.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$6.98  
Scarves, in brown and black, regular price \$10. Mill End Sale Price \$4.98

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Petticoats and House Dresses

Women's One-Piece Percale House Dresses, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price..... 50c  
Women's Muesolino Petticoats, in all colors, regular price \$2.40. Mill End Sale Price..... \$1.79  
Women's Black Skirt Petticoats, regular price 49c. Mill End Sale Price..... 29c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Women's and Children's Knit Underwear

Women's Vests, low neck, sleeveless, 12 1-2c value. Mill End Sale Price..... 6 1-4c  
Women's Union Suits, in regular and out-sizes, wide bottom and cuff knee, 50c and 52c value. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c  
Children's Pileed Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, 50c value. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c  
Children's Pileed Vests and Pants, 25c value. Mill End Sale Price 19c  
Boys' Bathing Suits and Drawers, 25c value. Mill End Sale Price, 15c Each

### MILL END SALE OF

#### BEDS and BEDDING

We Have a Complete Line of Brass and Iron Beds and Our Prices for This Sale Will Represent Great Money Savings:  
White Enamel Beds, continuous post, extra heavy, regular price \$6.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$3.95  
White Enamel Beds, curved top rails, regular price \$7.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$4.95  
White Enamel Beds, continuous posts, brass trimmed, regular price \$8.50. Mill End Sale Price..... \$5.95  
White Enamel Beds, extra strong, brass trimmed, regular price \$10.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$6.95  
White Enamel Beds, fancy scroll tops, brass trimmed, regular price \$12.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$7.95

### MILL END SALE IN

#### CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Children's Rompers in pink and blue checks, sizes 2 to 5 years, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price 25c  
Infants' Wool Bands, regular price 29c. Mill End Sale Price..... 15c  
Infants' Long Slips, made of good quality, regular price 50c. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c  
Infants' Bonnets, all sizes, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price 19c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Crash by the Yard

6 1-4c Cotton Crash. Mill End Sale Price..... 4c  
7c Cotton Crash. Mill End Sale Price..... 4 1-2c  
10c Unbleached Linen Crash. Mill End Sale Price..... 7 1-2c  
15c Bleached Linen, warranted pure linen. Mill End Sale Price, 12 1-2c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Early Morning Leaders

59c Mercerized Damask, best American make, 72 inches wide. Mill End Sale Price..... 35c Yard  
49c Mercerized Damask, 64 inches wide. Mill End Sale Price..... 29c  
5c Face Cloths. Mill End Sale Price, 12 for 25c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Cotton Wash Goods

Plain Silk Muslin, navy blue, tan, slate and brown, regular price 12c. Mill End Sale Price..... 8c  
Figured Mercerized Duck, soft finish, regular price 15c. Mill End Sale Price..... 6 1-4c  
Yard Wide Percales, light or dark colors, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price..... 7 1-2c  
Cutting Flannel, light or dark colors, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price..... 7 1-2c  
Bates and Zephyr Ginghams, regular price 12 1-2c and 15c. Mill End Sale Price..... 10c  
Plain Pongee, very fine, regular price 15c. Mill End Sale Price..... 10c  
Mellon Flannel, regular price 12 1-2c. Mill End Sale Price..... 9 1-2c  
Prints, all light colors, regular price 6 1-4c. Mill End Sale Price..... 4c  
Prints, gray, blue and light colors, regular price 7c. Mill End Sale Price..... 5c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### AXMINSTER RUGS

Axminster Rugs, 18x36, regular price \$12.60. Mill End Sale Price 98c Each  
Axminster Rugs, 27x54, regular price \$27.50. Mill End Sale Price, \$17.98 Each  
Axminster Rugs, 36x72, regular price \$45.00. Mill End Sale Price \$29.98 Each

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Sheets and Pillow Cases

100 Dozen Full Size Bed Sheets, of good bleached cotton, with one and three inch hems, subject to slight imperfections, regular price 49c. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c Each  
200 Dozen Full Size Bed Sheets, made of good quality bleached cotton. No imperfections. One and three inch hem, regular price 50c. Mill End Sale Price..... 35c Each

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Hodges Fiber Matting

3000 yards of Hodges Fiber Matting, 36 inches wide, all colors, values up to 45c a yard. Mill End Sale Price..... 19c Yard  
400 yards of 36 inch Matting, slightly damaged. Mill End Sale Price, 10c Yard

### MILL END SALE OF

#### MATTRESSES

Soft Top Mattresses, 1 or 2 parts, regular value \$2.55. Mill End Sale Price..... \$1.75  
Soft Top and Bottom Mattresses, reversible, extra heavy tick, regular value \$4.00. Mill End Sale Price \$2.75  
Combination Mattresses, rattan, fiber filling, satin tick, regular value \$5.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$3.75  
All Fiber Mattresses, soft top, bottom and sides, very fine tick, regular value \$6. Mill End Sale Price \$4.50  
All Cotton Mattresses, selected cotton filling, fancy tick, regular value \$1.50. Mill End Sale Price..... \$5.95  
Silk Floss Mattresses, guaranteed best quality silk floss, and full weight, regular value \$13.00. Mill End Sale Price..... \$10.95

### MILL END SALE OF

#### BED SPRINGS

National Bed Springs, fully guaranteed, all sizes, regular price \$3.50. Mill End Sale Price..... \$2.25

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Sheets and Pillow Cases

50 Dozen Sheets, 18x30 inches excellent quality of bleached cotton and seamless, regular price 89c. Mill End Sale Price..... 69c  
75 Doz. Pillow Slips, size 42x36 inches, excellent quality cotton, regular price 11c. Mill End Sale Price, 4 for 25c  
12 1-2c Pillow Slips, 42x36 inches, subject to slight imperfections. Mill End Sale Price..... 10c Each

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Pattern Table Cloths and Napkins to Match

\$1.00 Hemstitched Table Cloths, two yards long, mercerized satin finish. Mill End Sale Price..... 59c Each  
\$1.50 Hemstitched Table Cloths; three yards long, mercerized satin finish. Mill End Sale Price..... 79c  
\$2.50 All Linen Hemstitched Table Cloths. Mill End Sale Price \$1.25

### MILL END SALE OF

#### NAPKINS

50 Dozen Mercerized Napkins, regular price 10c each. Mill End Sale Price..... 3 1-2c Each  
\$4.50 Strictly All Pure Linen Napkins, in good assortment of patterns. Mill End Sale Price..... \$2.50  
\$5.00 Dinner Size Napkins, very best designs. Mill End Sale Price \$3.00

### MILL END SALE OF

#### WHITE GOODS

500 Yards of Long Cloth and Fancy Plique, regular prices 15c and 39c. Mill End Sale Price..... 2 1-2c Yard  
10c Checked Dimities, 27 inches wide. Mill End Sale Price..... 10c Yard

### MILL END SALE OF

#### DECORATIVE LINENS

200 Dozen Squares, Squares and Doyleys. Size scarfs 18x34 inches, squares 30x30 inches, doyleys 30 inches. Beautifully embroidered and trimmed with torchon lace. Mill End Sale Price..... 2 for 25c  
50c Scarfs and Squares to match. Beautifully embroidered and trimmed with torchon lace. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c Each  
\$1.00 Scarfs and Squares, fifty per cent. linen, beautifully embroidered and trimmed with torchon lace. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c Each

### MILL END SALE OF

#### WANTED NOTIONS

24 Yard Pieces White Tape, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price 5c  
Hooks and Eyes, black and silver, with Peel's eyes, 2 dozen on card, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price..... 2c  
John J. Clark's Spool Cotton, regular price 4c. Mill End Sale Price..... 2c  
Sewing Silk, all colors, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price..... 4c  
Basting Cotton, regular price 3c. Mill End Sale Price..... 2c  
Safety Pins, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price..... 2c  
Common Pins, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price..... 1c  
Pearl Buttons, regular price 7c. Mill End Sale Price..... 4c  
Black and White Headed Pins, regular price 6c. Mill End Sale Price 2c  
Tape, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price..... 3c  
Collar Supporters, regular price 5c. Mill End Sale Price..... 3c  
Darning Cotton, regular price 3c. Mill End Sale Price..... 1c  
Feather Stitched Braid, regular price 7c. Mill End Sale Price..... 4c  
Spring Fasteners, all sizes, regular price 19c. Mill End Sale Price 7c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### DRESS GOODS

36 inch Poplinettes, desirable for Spring wear, all colors, including evening shades, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c Yard  
Your choice of all our Serges, Panamas, Flannels and Mixed Weaves, 33 to 42 inches wide, all wool, regular price 69c. Mill End Sale Price, 49c Yard  
Remnants of all our winter stock, including Serges, Panamas, Batistes, Homespuns and Mixtures, from 1 1-2 to 4 yards in each piece, prices range from 10c to \$1.50 a yard. Now Half Price.

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Fine Lace All-Overs and Tucked Nets

Lengths run from one-fourth to three-fourths of a yard, values from 5c to \$1.50 per yard. Mill End Sale Prices..... 10c and 15c Piece

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Muslin Underwear

Corset Covers, with yoke of torchon lace and two rows of ribbon run, regular price 12c. Mill End Sale Price..... 12 1-2c

### Muslin Underwear Continued

Corset Covers of good quality nainsook, variety of lace and embroidery combined with fancy beadings and medallions, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price..... 29c  
Women's Drawers of cambric, with hemstitched ruffle, regular price 19c pair. Mill End Sale Price, 2 Pcs. 25c  
Women's Drawers with deep ruffle of embroidery and cluster of tucks or wide torchon lace, insertion and edge, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c Pair  
Drawers of fine quality cambric and cluster of tucks, with deep ruffle of Swiss embroidery, regular price 59c. Mill End Sale Price 39c Pair  
Women's Night Robes of nainsook, chemise style, edged with lace and ribbon run, regular price 50c. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c  
Night Robes of cambric or nainsook, long and short sleeves, in a variety of lace and embroidery trimmed. Mostly samples and only a few of each pattern, regular price 69c. Mill End Sale Price..... 50c  
Night Robes in empire or kimono style, also high neck, long sleeves, with yoke of embroidery, shadowed or torchon lace, wide beadings and medallions, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price..... 79c  
Women's Night Robes of cambric or nainsook, with yoke of tucks, two rows of insertion edged with nainsook embroidery, sizes 19 and 20, regular price \$1.25. Mill End Sale Price..... 79c  
Long White Skirts with ruffle of embroidery, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c  
White Skirts with 18 inch flounce of Swiss embroidery, slightly soiled, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price..... 79c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Women's and Children's GLOVES

Women's Pure Silk Gloves, 16 button length. Franier woven tips, in white, black, pink and blue, regular price \$1.25. Mill End Sale Price..... 59c Pair  
2-Clasp, Fine Quality Kid Gloves, in black, white and tan, regular price \$1.00. Mill End Sale Price 59c Pair  
1-Clasp Heavy Cape Gloves, tan shades. Prix seau sewn and imperial point backs, regular price \$1.25. Mill End Sale Price 79c Pair  
16-Button White Kid Gloves, regular price \$3.00. Mill End Sale Price, \$1.79 Pair  
Broken lots of 2-Clasp Pure Silk Gloves, double tipped fingers, regular price 50c. Mill End Sale Price..... 29c Pair  
2-Clasp Cashmere Gloves, in black and colors, regular price 25c. Mill End Sale Price 15c, 2 Pairs for 25c  
Children's Wool Golf Gloves, black and colors; also astrachan mitens, kid palm, regular price 39c. Mill End Sale Price..... 19c Pair

### MILL END SALE OF

#### JEWELRY

Coin Purse and Vanity Cases in German silver and gun metal, with long or short chain, regular price 50c and 75c. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c  
Hair Barrettes, in shell and amber, assorted styles and sizes, regular price 10c. Mill End Sale Price 6c  
1 lot of Jewelry consisting of Belt Buckles, Vell Pins, Beauty Pins, Brooches, Snap Pins, worth up to 50c each. Mill End Sale Price 4c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Men's, Women's and Children's Hosiery

Women's Black Cotton Hose, double soles, heel and toe, 12 1-2c quality. Mill End Sale Price..... 9c, 3 Pairs for 25c  
Women's Black Cotton Hose, double heel and toe, 12c quality. Mill End Sale Price..... 2 Pairs 25c  
Children's Little Ribbed Hose, double heel and toe, 12c quality. Mill End Sale Price..... 2 Pairs 25c  
Children's Black Cotton Hose, 1x1 ribbed, double soles and double knees, 12 1-2c quality. Mill End Sale Price..... 4 Pairs 25c  
Men's Wool Hose, natural and camel hair, 25c quality. Mill End Sale Price..... 2 Pairs 25c  
Men's Silk Lisle Hose, in all colors, 25c quality. Mill End Sale Price, 2 Pairs 25c  
Men's Cotton Hose, medium weight, double soles, 12c quality. Mill End Sale Price..... 2 Pairs 25c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### Women's and Children's HATS

\$1.00 to \$2.00 Untrimmed Shapes. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c  
\$2.50 and \$5.00 Untrimmed Shapes. Mill End Sale Price..... 87c  
\$1.00 to \$2.00 Fancy Feathers. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c  
\$2.50 Fancy Ostrich Pieces. Mill End Sale Price..... 98c  
Assorted Flowers. Mill End Sale Price..... 8c  
Hat Frames. Mill End Sale Price 7c  
\$1.00 Colored Velvets. Mill End Sale Price..... 55c Yard  
Trimmed Hats. Mill End Sale Price..... \$1.00  
Assorted Millinery Ribbons. Mill End Sale Price..... 16c Yard  
Trimming Novelties. Mill End Sale Price..... 14c  
Other Millinery Mill End Items on sale not mentioned in our circular. HATS TRIMMED FREE

### MILL END SALE OF

#### WAISTS

Percale Waists, made of good quality percale, in assorted colored stripes, with roll back collar and French cuffs. Good value. Worth 69c. Mill End Sale Price..... 25c  
Lingerie Waists, buttoned back, with long sleeves and embroidery fronts, very neat. Worth 79c. Mill End Sale Price..... 39c  
Tailored Waists, in seersucker, gingham and percale, in long and short sleeves, with new laced collar, in assorted colored stripes and all white. Others in long sleeves and high soft tailored collars, made of natural colored linen, and white lined. Worth 98c. Mill End Sale Price..... 79c

### MILL END SALE OF

#### TOILET GOODS

1 Pound Bottle Peroxide of Hydrogen, regular price 25c. Mill End Sale Price..... 10c  
Crushed Rose and Violet Talcum Powder, 1 pound tins, regular price 15c. Mill End Sale Price 8c  
Lily of the Valley Soap, 3 cakes in a box, regular price 15c. Mill End Sale Price..... 7c  
Toilet Brushes, in an assortment of styles and sizes, regular price 15c and 35c. Mill End Sale Price 10c



WATER METERS FROZEN LOWELL MAN FROM NAVY

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| Burst by the Frost—Health Dept. Pushing Collection of Ashes—Chelmsford St. Hospital Filled | Is Home on a Visit—He Tells of Conditions in Naval Service—Has Also Been in Philippines |
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adverted. The task of carrying the dynamite and placing it in the buildings was very dangerous, but Mr. Vellez says as yet no accident has occurred, while his crew handled the explosives.

Ho has been in the navy almost seven years. His first enlistment was for three years, and when this came to an end he reenlisted again for four years. He says it is the only enlistment that he was married for. Miss Fleury last July. Since his marriage the young man, who is but 26 years of age, came to his home about twice a week. He says he has been transferred to Fort Leavenworth.

able to come to Lowell but once, a month. The young marine has seen service in the Philippine Islands and for several years he was a member of the crew of the U. S. S. Albatross. He likes the life in the navy but now that he is married he feels it would be better for him to remain with his better half and accordingly he will be content at the close of his enlistment which will be on Oct. 3.

He has had considerable experience in Uncle Sam's service and has seen about every corner on the globe. He says that the navy is the best place for a young man who wishes to see the world and it is also a fine place for discipline. He said he has met young men who were real ruffians when they joined the navy but that the discipline of their enlistment were real gentlemen. When he retires from the service he will make his home in Lowell.

ter, Mrs. William Buckley, 25 Royal street. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church, where, at 10 o'clock, a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Daniel Heffernan. Among the many floral tributes was a large pillow inscribed "Mother," from the family; and pieces from Frederick Buckley, Mrs. Kate McKeever, employee of the Hamilton finishing room, office, Mrs. Rogers, the Misses Kelly, Mrs.

rances, cloth room, Boyle family, Mr. Souza, Joseph Meding, Miss E. Florlink and Miss A. Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Owens, Miss Lillian Lynch, Miss Hattie Pacific, Mr. and Mrs. McManus, Mr. and Mrs. McManus, Mr. McManus, Mr. John Blessington, Miss Daley, Miss Maguire, Miss Thornton and Mrs. O'Dea. The bearers were John Blessington, Patrick McGilly, Michael McGilly, Miss O'Dea, Michael Gibbons and Thomas Teague. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons had charge.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

**BOYLE.**—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Boyle will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the chapel of F. O'Donnell & Sons. At 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge

**DODGE**—**Died** in this city, Feb. 17, at 353 Westford street, Mrs. Jennie M. Dodge, aged 73 years. Funeral services at 353 Westford street, Thursday afternoon at 2.30. Burial in New Boston, N. H. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck.

**CHARLTON**—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Ann Charlton will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 224 Fayette street. At 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of J. P. O'Donnell & Sons.

**McCOY**—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret McCoy will take place Thursday

morning from her late home, 754 Central street at 8 o'clock. There will be a solemn requiem mass at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of Undertaker J. F. Rogers.

**MURKINGHAM**—The funeral of the late John Murningham will take place on Friday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 81 B street. Sol-

ULLIVAN—The funeral of Mary Sullivan will take place Thursday morning from her home, 13 Lagrange street at 8.15 o'clock. A high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's cemetery, Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

rick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Underlinker Peter H. Savage.

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POLICE ON TRAIL OF MURDERER  
WHO KILLED YOUNG WOMAN  
NEAR CEMETERY  
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AURORA, Ill., Feb. 18.—A new trail from St. Nicholas cemetery, where Miss Theresa Hollander was clubbed to death Monday night led Chief of Police Nichols out of Aurora today. His destination was not revealed, but

is understood he went to Chicago. The girl's former sweetheart, Anthony Petras, a young Australian, is held in jail. It is said Chief Nichols went to Chicago to question a former resident of Aurora, whose name is on the handle of a pocket knife found a few feet from the body of the girl.

Miss Hollander was not maltreated, post-mortem examination disclosed, neither was she robbed.

F. C. Church held the insurance on the buildings Nos. 29 to 39 Branch street, owned by Charles M. Potter, so on the contents of the building in the name of Miss Hollander.

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Music furnished for all occasions.

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GEORGE LABAS

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 could like a match with any other  
 wrestler weighing around 150 pounds.  
 and meet him at 350 Market St.

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# THE TOWN OF BILLERICA

## Problems That Will Come Before Next Town Meeting—The Car Shop Difficulty

With the annual meeting of the town of Billerica only a little over a month away the townspeople are beginning to gather and talk over the possibilities of the various candidates and the necessity of certain improvements in the town. The old form of town meeting has been adopted this year and it will be welcomed by the voters as the form used the past two years proved very unsatisfactory. During the past two or three years the candidates on the ballot would be voted upon on a certain date and the articles of the warrant taken up and discussed during the evening. If the entire business could not be transacted in one evening the meeting would have to be adjourned for a week and so on until the last article on the warrant was reached.

Although very few citizens have yet declared themselves as candidates for the various offices it is rumored throughout all sections of the town that there will be more contests on this year than for several years in the past. It is believed that there will be at least seven or eight citizens out for the board of selectmen, none of the present board, which is comprised of Messrs. Sheridan, Sanford and Wright, have yet made any public statement but it is understood that all three will be up for re-election and all have a host of friends in both villages.

### The Vacant Offices

There will also be a vacancy on the board of assessors this year and as this is one of the best paying offices that the voters have to fill there will undoubtedly be several candidates for this position. A member of the board of health, a school committeeman, and several other offices are to be filled and a red-hot town meeting is assured.

The citizens of the North Village are mentioning the name of Edgar F. Twombly to oppose Harry Essex for highway surveyor, but Mr. Twombly has not yet taken the stump. The contest for highway surveyor last year was one of the most interesting on the ballot. If Twombly and Essex are in the fight again this year it will probably be equally as lively.

Although the warrant for the town meeting has not yet been drawn up it is probable that the list of articles will be longer this year than for several years past. The coming of the Boston & Maine repair shops to the town has made considerable more work for all town departments and several improvements will have to be made on this account.

### Tenement House Act

A number of residents of the town who wish to have Billerica keep up her good name as being one of the most beautiful towns in this section of the state are going to make an effort to have the town adopt the provisions of chapter 635, of the acts of 1914, and also section 1 of chapter 195, as amended by chapter 334, acts of 1912, the same being the acts regulating the building of tenement houses in the town. The act is known as the tenement house act and the Billerica people consider it very important at this time. An article of this sort was taken up at the meeting last year but as some of the citizens wished it placed on file for another year no definite action was taken.

### Hullington Road

The board of selectmen is also pre-

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Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

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## A LITTLE NONSENSE



IN SOCIETY.

"People are funny." "How now?" "In this Van Alstine divorce suit they divided \$25,000 amicably and then scragged about the custody of a pug dog."



BETWEEN FRIENDS.

Hazel changed countenance when I asked her with going to a beauty doctor. Of course. That's what she went to the beauty doctor for.



FAR FROM IT.

"The boys in my neighborhood broke a window last night." "The playful experience of youth, of course?" "Nothing of the sort. It was my window."



BETWEEN FRIENDS.

My husband loved me at first sight. I understood that. He must have been a handsome fellow.



IMPROMPTU.

"So your wife read you a lecture when you got home last night?" "Read it? No, it was quite impromptu."



TRUE.

It's a good idea when angry to count ten before you speak. True! Also when "touched" to count a thousand before you lend.

### CHICAGO'S MAYOR IS ILL

HAS BEEN ORDERED TO SPEND AT LEAST THREE WEEKS IN THE SOUTH

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Mayor Harrison, who has been ill for about two weeks, has been advised by his physician, Dr. Thomas Henry Lewis, to pass

### MOTHER AND SON DEAD

JUDGE CHASE DIED YESTERDAY AND HIS MOTHER PASSED AWAY TODAY

BETHEL, Me., Feb. 18.—Mrs. Eliza A. Chase, mother of Judge Edward E. Chase, who died at Bethel yesterday, passed away today at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Herrick, at the age of 87, without knowledge of her son's death. She had a shock some time ago and her condition was such that it was thought best not to inform her.



CARTER HARRISON.

### NEW STATE ARMORY

WILL BE OPENED ON LAWRENCE ROAD TOMORROW NIGHT — LOCAL MEN TO ATTEND

The new state armory located on the road between here and Lawrence will be formally opened tomorrow night and a large number of local men, including Captains Joyce, Huntoon and Kittredge are planning to attend and inspect the building. A great many military men from all over the state have been invited and it is expected that the event will be one of the largest of its kind held in this section of the state for some time.

### STARVING TO DEATH

BOY WROTE HOME TO FATHER—LATTER'S INQUIRY RESULTED IN SON'S ARREST

FALL RIVER, Feb. 18.—John P. McGrath, 19, of Chelsea, wrote his father yesterday that he was starving to death in Fall River and had been ordered out of town by the police. John's father arrived here this morning and informed the police of the message from his son. Later it was discovered that McGrath answered the description of a young man who was wanted for larceny. He was located in the post-office building awaiting a letter from home and locked up charged with larceny, the father's inquiry unwittingly bringing about the arrest of his son.

### R. R. DIFFICULTY

Progress on Readjustment of B. & M. and New Haven Affairs

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—Good progress was made at Washington today in the readjustment of the affairs of the New York, New Haven & Hartford and the Boston & Maine roads, according to a telephone message received at the state house from Governor Walsh. The governor told Secretary Mearns that the names of three trustees had been agreed on by the railroad officials and the attorney general and that nearly all the provisions of the decree under which the Boston & Maine had been settled. The differences between the conferences were chiefly concerned with the length of the term of the trust.

### CALL TO WASHINGTON

ED. C. NILES, CHAIRMAN OF N. H. PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD SUMMONED

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 18.—Edward C. Niles, chairman of the New Hampshire public service commission left this afternoon for Washington, D. C., where he has been summoned by the national department of justice for consultation as to the plans for dissolution of the New Haven and Boston & Maine road combination.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

CAUQUETTE.—The funeral of Mrs. Joseph Cauquette will take place Friday morning from her home, 61 Crawford street. Solemn high mass at St. Joseph's church at 10 o'clock. Friends invited. General arrangements in charge of Undertaker Jos. Albert.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

# AN EXCITING RUNAWAY

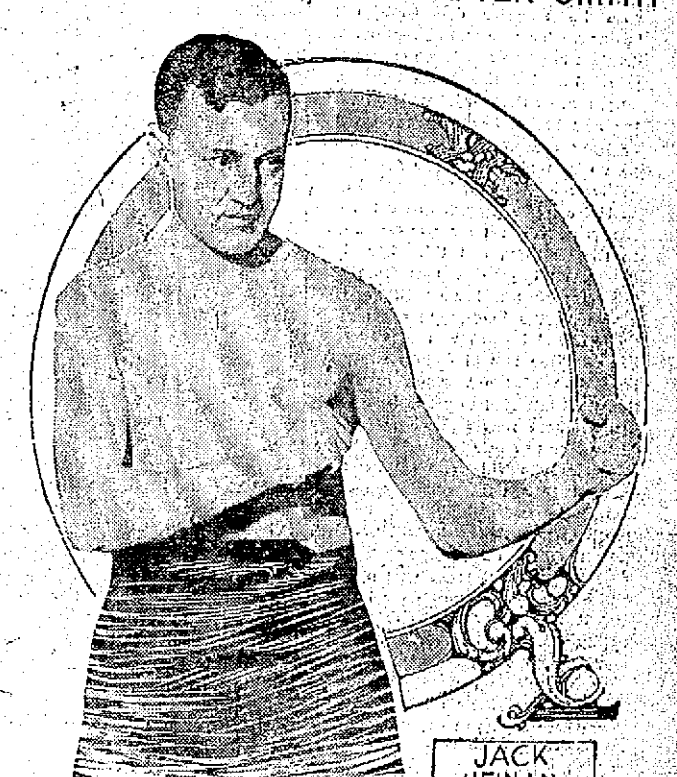
## Board of Health Horse Took to R.R. Tracks and Got Caught—Mr. Garvey Thrown Out

An exciting runaway occurred in the vicinity of the Middlesex street station shortly after 8 o'clock this morning when a horse owned by the board of health department and in charge of Foreman Thomas F. Garvey was frightened near the corner of Hale and Grand streets and after running at a terrific pace through Grand street and several short streets in that section made a dash down the railroad tracks toward Western avenue and got caught in the trestle when about half way across the railroad bridge near the Middlesex street crossing. Mr. Garvey, it is said, was thrown out of the sleigh at the start but fortunately was not seriously injured.

A gang of men who were working clearing the railroad tracks of the snow rushed to the scene and after considerable work succeeded in raising the animal and as the bottom of the bridge was open it was necessary to secure a number of planks to get the horse to solid ground. The horse was pulled onto the planks and then over a dozen men dragged the animal to the end of the bridge where he stood up and was led to Clapp's stable on Middlesex street. One leg was badly cut but the horse was able to limp slowly along.

According to witnesses of the runaway a young man was holding the horse by the head while Mr. Garvey got into the sleigh. A loud noise frightened the animal and in some way the man who had hold of the bridle lost his grip and the horse started at a rapid gallop toward Middlesex street. In turning a corner the sleigh struck a curb-stone and it was left behind while the horse continued along with only the shafts attached. Several persons who were on the street at the time narrowly escaped being struck as the horse sped by, but fortunately no one was injured. The horse went from Middlesex to Arch street and on the railroad crossing was open he started down the tracks toward the School street crossing at full speed. When he reached the bridge about 200 yards from Middlesex street he sank in the trestle and struggled wildly to get free.

## CHICAGO FIGHTER, WHO WHIPPED M'CARTHY, NOW AFTER SMITH



JACK HEENAN

Jack Heenan, the new candidate for heavyweight fighting honors, is here shown in his training quarters at Jimmy DeForest's camp at Allenhurst, N. J. Heenan, who is not engaged in ring bouts, is a newspaper artist of considerable ability. "This fact ought to make him a drawing card," says DeForest. DeForest is an able judge of fighting men, and he is authority for the statement that the big recruit from the Chicago stockyards section is a sure enough match for Gimpbat. Heenan, when not engaged in ring bouts, is a newspaper artist of considerable ability. "This fact ought to make him a drawing card," says DeForest. DeForest is an able judge of fighting men, and he is authority for the statement that the big recruit from the Chicago stockyards section is a sure enough match for Gimpbat.

## Every Woman Should Wish to Look Her Best

## Suffering Spoils Beauty!

Many women look old before their time, simply because worry, sleepless nights, headaches, pains, irregularities and weaknesses to which women are so subject have brought the haggard look, the dull eyes, the "crow's feet" which would mar any woman's charm.

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For forty years Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been used with satisfaction and benefit by thousands and thousands of women. It can now be obtained in tablet or liquid form from all dealers in medicines—or send 50 one-cent stamps to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N.Y., for a trial box.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets tone the stomach, stimulate the liver, regulate the bowels. One to three tiny granules to a dose. Pleasant to take as candy.



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## THE WORK TRAIN

The members of the board of trade and all others who have been instrumental in influencing the Boston and Maine railroad to provide a special work train for the new car shop employees are to be complimented, for they have secured a concession that will react favorably on the city and will go far towards smoothing away the difficulties that have made the lives of the recent arrivals from Keene and Concord less pleasant than they had been in the New Hampshire communities which many of them left reluctantly. The hundreds of workers will now realize that the worst of their perplexities is over, for the transportation question was serious considering the severely cold weather and the inadequate service on the electric lines. Up to the present, the work that had to be undertaken through mere of less bleak territory, in going to or coming from work was sufficient to overbalance many of the advantages which the new shops offered to the employees.

Even from the selfish point of view the Boston and Maine has done wisely in providing the workers with a special train morning and evening. Those among them who prefer life in Lowell to the necessarily more restricted life of North Billerica will be enabled to live in the city, and their families will be able to enter into the business and social life of the larger community with its superior opportunities for business education and recreation. The greatest asset to any large corporation is loyal and satisfied employees, and by providing the special train, the Boston and Maine has gone far towards creating a desirable spirit among the men who toil daily at the great locomotive repair shops. The special train will also make it possible for the employees to reach their work promptly in the morning, and this has been practically impossible heretofore considering the weather conditions coupled with the inadequate car service.

The special train will also benefit the city, for it will ensure a greater proportion of the workers to Lowell than had intended to settle here originally. There may still be many who will prefer to settle in North Billerica, but those who will do so will act from choice rather than from necessity. The special train will make it as easy for those who live in Lowell to reach their work as though the new shops were located at Merrimack square.

The railroad has now done its part, and it remains for the city to leave nothing undone in meeting the new additions to our population with the proper spirit and making it possible for them and their families to settle down here with full satisfaction. The city has hundreds of good opportunities in homes and tenements, and through many of the first selections may be of a temporary nature, all who have come here can eventually find the type of dwelling which they desire. Owing to the new train there is no part of the city that is difficult of access, and there are some among the more skilled and high salaried officials who would be glad to settle in the Highlands or Belvidere or other such location, were they shown the proper type of dwelling. Were such to get in touch with the board of trade they would undoubtedly be able to make a satisfactory selection of a future home.

The new arrivals are a welcome addition to our business, political and social life, and it is the duty of the city to provide them with advantages for home life, suitable tenements, schools and recreation as well as adequate transportation facilities. Anything done to aid the desirable workers of the new car shops will react later to the advantage of the city which has been signally honored by the prestige of the car shop location and the settling here of so many valued additions to our population.

## CARRYING OF WEAPONS

The two lines of \$50.00 imposed by Judge Enright last Monday on the visitors from Lynn and North Wilmington respectively who were found guilty of carrying revolvers calls attention to the habit that unfortunately prevails among too many of our citizens—particularly those of foreign birth. Every little while the community is shocked by a shooting or a stabbing affray, and though these occurrences are not frequent, they would be far less so were the habit of carrying weapons discouraged. Few of the stabbing or shooting affairs that come before the local courts are the result of premeditation, but the principals carry around knives or revolvers at all times, and when some argument ensues, the weapon of itself suggests the crime—automatically almost. When these weapons are carried by those who indulge in drink, they almost invariably get them into serious trouble.

The cure for this condition is in a campaign of education which will impress on foreigners and others that the law-abiding American citizen has no need of knives and revolvers in the pursuit of his business or pleasure. It seems to be a racial custom with some militant people to go armed, and the stories of American hold-ups may have impressed on their receptive

minds the fancied necessity of being prepared for the worst at all times. Did they realize that our leaders in politics and business go through the streets without either dagger or gun they might be led to see the folly of a course that puts so many of them in the hospitals and in the jails.

Until the time comes when the carrying of arms will be discontinued in communities such as ours it is well that the authorities should be vigilant, and fines such as those recently imposed by Judge Enright cannot be considered excessive. It is not often that one who carries a gun or other weapon without a license can be apprehended before the commission of some shooting or stabbing, and when one such is caught, the law should do everything possible to discourage the indiscriminate carrying of weapons, by those not fitted by environment or temperament to go through our public streets armed.

## LETTERS FROM OTHER CITIES

It would be gratifying to realize that the many letters from the officials of other cities requesting information on the results of the commission form of government in Lowell, were prompted by the reputation of this city for efficient municipal government, but it is to be feared that they are rather the result of our recent undesirable advertising of everything connected with Lowell and its people. Could the correspondents come here personally and compare the advance made by Lowell under the new charter with its stagnation under the old form of government, they would be convinced of the comparative merits of the new system, but it is difficult to see how a letter from those responsible in great measure for our unsavory reputation throughout the state will be convincing. Were the present city government to allege that the new charter has been a benefit to the city, they would be explaining away the accusations made during the recent campaign, and were they to allege that Lowell has retrogressed, they would be discredited everywhere except where the campaign utterances of last December had gained credence.

These letters from distant cities ought to bring home to us once for all the importance of conducting clean and honorable political campaigns, free from the undesirable elements of malicious abuse, baseless accusations and dishonorable personalities that would lead a stranger to regard Lowell as a den of thieves. When so many of our leading citizens are engaged in spreading the fame of Lowell and making it attractive to those who may be contemplating residential or business changes, it is unfortunate that a few men should hold up our city as a hotbed of political corruption merely as a ruse to induce the people to elect new men to office.

## BEN GREET PLAYERS

When added to the artistic appeal of the Ben Greet players who will present "The Merchant of Venice" in this city next Tuesday evening is the humanitarian purpose of those who have made their presentation of the famous drama possible, there can be no doubt that the response of the Lowell public will be ready and that its liberal patronage is already assured. The summer playgrounds have been the means of giving health and happiness to hundreds of our children yearly, and their enthusiastic supporters have been untiring in the good work of raising the necessary funds. Apart from the merit of the performance, therefore, it is certain that hundreds of our people would attend any entertainment which aims at supplying the needs of the children, but when added to this is the reputation of Mr. Greet and his players, who give interpretations of Shakespeare in the Elizabethan manner, according to the highest dramatic and artistic traditions, it is certain that there will be an audience large enough to do justice to Lowell's esthetic reputation as well as to its sense of public generosity and civic spirit.

## SECOND-CLASS MAIL

The Boston Globe, speaking of the claim of Postmaster-General Burleson that second-class mail matter does not pay the government sufficiently for its transportation, says:

"To assert offhand that periodicals do not pay their way is in full from publisher to reader is easy; to substantiate the statement, under the present system of postoffice accounting, is practically impossible."

"It remains to be established that second-class mail matter is carried at a loss."

It goes on to say that if the claim of the government can be substantiated, new rates should be adopted, based on accurate information. It wisely calls attention to the unbusiness-like attitude of advocating great reforms such as a one-cent letter rate while such an alleged abuse exists. Before any important change is introduced, the utmost efficiency should be established. When the postal department gives satisfactory service and demonstrates that it can be run at a profit, it will be time for other and

greater reforms, but until then, any thing savouring of reconstruction should be approached warily.

## FIRE WASTE

The official organ of the Boston chamber of commerce calls attention to the fact that in Boston last year the fire losses totaled \$3,000,000 worth of property and forty-one lives. It adds: "Practically every fire could have been prevented by the enforcement of reasonable regulations." With this in mind, the Boston chamber has introduced into the legislature a bill embodying some of the regulations which the fire department and board of trade of this city have been advocating locally with evident results.

## Seen and Heard

HOW MUCH ARE YOU WORTH? If you tip any old scale at one-fifty pounds.

You are worth just seven-fifty per cent. So a scientist says, and I suppose he knows.

So I to his statement defer. But this worth is based on the element of store for body contains.

And does not consider the value to you.

Of what you can find in your brains. You are made up of salt, of iron and lime.

A little albumen and fat. A little phosphorus, some sugary stuff.

And a little magnesium on that. This collection of compounds represented in man.

In what he would sell for a junk. But are you contented to sit down and feed?

That you'd sell for a figure so punk? Are you selling yourself at a bargain store?

Are you pleased with this seven-fifty per cent?

Or are you to show that the price has gone up?

That you are really a man, not a cur?

Don't measure your worth in this physical way.

If you do you will cheapen the bid. What a man's worth is settled this way.

By what he has under his lid.

The most romantic relic of highwayman's days that still remains on or about the first stage of the way to the west is the Bell of Ouseley, near Old Windsor, Eng. This picturesque roadside inn was the resort of a number of "padders" among them Henry Whitney, who in some respects, would have been a day or a little farther down the western road, he met a solitary traveler, whom he greeted with the traditional formula, "Stand and deliver!"

"It was well you spoke first," replied the stranger, "for I was going to make a similar demand."

"Why, then, you are a gentleman thief?" Whitney cried.

"Yes," said the horseman, "but I have had very bad success today, for I have been riding up and down all the morning without meeting any prize."

Whitney, after wishing him better luck, rode away. At night, after effecting certain changes in his dress, he put up at an inn. Among the other guests was the luckless horseman whom he had encountered. This gentleman did not recognize Whitney, who overheard him tell a fellow-traveler that he had met a thief that morning, and that by professing to be on the road himself he had saved a hundred pounds. He caught also the gentleman's reply, which was to the effect that he, too, had a considerable sum in his possession, and that they would if

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Rich red blood is the power that keeps the human body in order. Every day many germs of disease enter our bodies but they are made harmless and passed off if the fighting forces of the body are in good condition. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills build up the blood, enable it to absorb more oxygen, the agent which burns up the body poisons. In this way Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are not only a tonic but a specific for the best of diseases that come as a result of thin blood and that can get a foothold only when the tone of the blood is low.

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A booklet, "Common Ailments, How to Treat Them," is free for the asking. Address: The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

his company would be agreeable, travel together the next day.

Soon after the two had left the inn on the following morning Whitney caught them up and demanded their money.

"No!" the "padder" proceeded after they had both declared themselves to be fellow "collectors." "You, Messieurs Highwaymen, should have kept your secret a little longer and not have looked off having outwitted a thief. There is now nothing for you but deliver or die."

Naturally they chose the former alternative, and as a result Whitney obtained a hundred pounds from one of them and considerably more from the other.—Wide World Magazine.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

### PERHAPS:

Brookline Times: A public-spirited Californian, anonymously, has sent \$20 toward the government's purchase of the telephone and telegraph lines, and if every man, woman and child in the United States will do likewise, perhaps the scheme may be put through.

### TIPPING:

Newport News: The bill before the legislature prohibiting the giving or taking of tips in hotels, restaurants and public amusement places is an evidence of the extent to which opposition to this prevalent practice has extended. It is significant that the measure was introduced at the request of the Commercial Travelers' association, because the members of that body are the worst sufferers from the custom. They are moving about all the time and so are compelled to submit to it constantly, while most other persons encounter it only occasionally.

### GRAFT ELSEWHERE:

Nashua Telegraph: Not all business dishonesty is confined to the United States. Canada has been investigating the construction of one of its transcontinental railroad lines and finds that \$8,000,000 worth of money was expended, or 25 per cent of the total cost of the road. Eleven firms received about \$9,000,000 for doing nothing. All of which goes to show that graft is not indigenous to any particular lines of latitude or longitude.

### SLUMS:

Lawrence Telegram: As Albin Kays-Bacon says in the Survey, "It is a wonder how one could expect any of the children of our slums to have any true ideals. How could we expect that out of these thousands of miserable 'hones' should be born one architect or artist, author, statesman, or even one decent citizen? How could we expect one of them, when they grow up, to vote for civic improvement, or to stand for

## Worms—A Danger to Children

Childhood has many ills; but worms, whether pinworms or stomach worms, must be vigorously guarded against.

No gain in health and strength is possible until they are removed. If you suspect that your child is suffering from worms, do not lose another minute, but get a bottle of this three-tryed, dependable remedy—Dr. True's Elixir.

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churches or schools? How could we expect any of them to be patriots?

## A SPARTAN REGIME

Haverhill Gazette: What the Prime Minister of stronger needs, we must learn to bring about consciously and purposefully through a Spartan regime of self-control and self-denial which shall fit us for the growing strenuousness of our present mode of life. Temperance in drinking and a good many other things is required by the man or woman who would meet the highest demands of the high pressure of modern existence.

## CIVIL PENSION SYSTEM

Salem News: Massachusetts has a hodge-podge civil pension system. It is full of crudities and rank morosities, with favoritism and abuse. As a general thing the highest-paid public employees have been picked out for pensioning, the payments in many cases totaling more than the yearly wages. In the last analysis—to make the abuse the more glaring—the latter are taxed for the support in old age of their far better advanced contemporaries in former public employ.

## COMMUNICATIONS

### "BOY SCOUTS VS. MILITIA"

I have read with surprise the article written by "A Suburban Scoutmaster" in a recent issue of the Courier-Citizen. First, he claims the object of the boy scout movement is to carry the boy through the adolescent period of his life. That naturally is the goal of the militia. That same dream of universal peace has been the goal of the boy scout movement in its infancy.

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Teach him to be prepared, teach him love of country; teach him that the greatest honor that may come to him is to serve his country.

Would you hire the unskilled to operate your machinery? No—wait the same applies to our country's service. It takes years of training to make good soldiers. Shades of those who perished from hunger and starvation at Valley Forge while congress engaged in polemic argument in Philadelphia; shades of the million youths who perished in the Civil war, the victims of our failure to train them as soldiers before the call to arms; shades of those thousands who died in 1891, murdered by the teachers, the doctrinaires and the politicians who derided the necessity of preparation. Wait on these learned gentlemen and suggest that they have not read their histories, nor

assimilated the truths contained in their pages. May we not hope to be saved from the dangerous influence of the molly-coddle pacemakers who would give a nation of so-called men devoid of the real spirit of manhood and patriotism that stands ever ready to defend right and liberty at any sacrifice and not only this but stand always prepared to do so whenever the interests of the country require their service.

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Having suffered for twenty years with a serious stomach trouble, pronounced incurable by the best specialists of Europe and America, I am very greatly surprised to find relief with your Stomach-Rite tablets. Now, after years of misery, I can sit at the dinner table and eat anything I want with no unpleasant after effects. The pain and bloating with an intense burning sensation, which has been my lot for twenty years, is all gone, due to your remedy. May you attain the success you deserve in your well-directed efforts to relieve human suffering. Very truly yours,







# B. & M. TRUSTEES TEXTILE SCHOOL

Contest Over Ex-Gov. Guild, Who is Favored by Gov. Walsh

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 15.—Ex-Gov. Guild was named by Gov. Walsh as one of the trustees of the Boston & Maine railroad at the big conference held here yesterday to settle the terms of the agreement separating that system from the New Haven.

The governor insisted that Mr. Guild was qualified in every way to represent the state of Massachusetts in the board of trustees, which is to have charge of the rehabilitation of the Boston & Maine under the agreement to be set forth as a court decree from the federal department of justice.

Considerable objection was made by New Haven interests against the choice of Mr. Guild on the ground that he was prejudiced against the interests of the New Haven. It was stated that at the conference, which took place in the federal department of justice between Governor Walsh, Chairman Elliott of the New Haven, Mr. Storey, representing the New Haven, Special Assistant Gregory and Louis D. Brandeis, mention was made of what was called a bitter attack made upon J. Pierpont Morgan by Mr. Guild some years ago, in which he described him as a "bull-necked, red-faced bully."

In any event, Governor Walsh stuck out for ex-Governor Guild. He also presented the name of George W. Anderson, member of the public service commission of Massachusetts, as another trustee.

The name of George von L. Meyer, former ambassador to Russia, was presented by Mr. Storey and may be accepted. A committee called upon Attorney-General McReynolds, to present the name of John J. Martin, president of the Massachusetts real estate exchange.

The conference, which opened in the afternoon and extended late last night, broke up without any final decision being arrived at one the names of the trustees or the terms of the settlement. At the close of this conference it was practically decided by the administration that the terms of the agreement would be left to be fought out between the New Haven and Governor Walsh.

The governor called in Louis D. Brandeis early in the day to talk with him before the meeting of the conference.

Practically the only matter in which all parties in the conference were in agreement was that former Chief Justice Knowlton of the supreme court of Massachusetts should be selected as chairman of the board of trustees.

The fight on the choice of trustees is based mainly on the fact that most of the men being named by the New Haven interests, like Alford Crocker of Pittsburg and Gardner Lane of Boston, are identified with the financial interests controlling the stock of the Boston & Maine.

Governor Walsh takes the stand that those to be named as trustees should be of the type that are not interested in any way in the finances of the road, but who are willing to accept the place on the board as a matter of public duty.

## CONSTANT SUFFERER FROM SKIN TROUBLE

For Years, Pimples of Worst Kind On Face and Body. Itched and Burned Badly. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.

111 Pleasant St., Bennington, Vt.—"For years I was almost a constant sufferer from skin trouble in all its dreadful forms such as pimples on face and body. My pimples were the worst of the kind and they itched and burned badly causing sores to form. My skin became red and at times inflamed. I lost many nights' rest on account of irritation. About five months ago I started using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and five months' treatment cured me completely and to-day I feel like a new man." (Signed) Richard Voss, May 10, 13.

## DARK BLUE BLISTER ON HAND

68 Loveland St., Middletown, Conn.—"My son's trouble started with a dark blue blister on the hand and it got worse every day. It started with a pain and at one time it was all blue and swollen. He lost his night's rest and could not use his hand at all. I treated it with everything and nothing helped. He had it two weeks and at last I heard of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment two weeks and they healed his hand up very nicely; the cure was complete." (Signed) Mrs. Carl Herrmann, Jan. 1, 1913.

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If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## Principal Eames Confident That Legislature Will Pass Bill

The officials of the Lowell Textile school are very confident that the bill providing for the payment of \$60,000 a year for a period of 10 years to the school will be enacted, for the local representatives and senators are hard at work on the matter and they also feel confident that the bill will be adopted.

In order to show the practical value of the school, Principal Charles S. Eames has compiled figures relative to positions secured by graduates of the institution from 1899 to 1913, which are as follows:

Directors of textile schools, 3; teachers, 14; mill vice presidents, 3; mill treasurers and agents, 8; mill superintendents, 22; mill assistant superintendents, 11; mill foremen of departments, 12; mill auditors and accountants, 3; mill clerks, 2; second hands, 8; managers, 11; textile designers and fabric experts, 13; in commission houses, 4; salesmen, 5; purchasing agents, 2; chemists, 4; and chemical salesmen, 48; electricians, 11; industrial engineers, 3; mill engineering, 9; in government employ, 5; in retail employ, 1; trade journalists, 3; in business, textile distributing or incidental thereto, 10; textile manufacturing, unassigned, 22; other business, 13.

## BARACA CLASS

Held Second Annual Minstrel Show at Odd Fellows Hall

The second annual minstrel show under the auspices of the L. A. N. Baraca class of the Fifth Street Baptist church was held last night at Odd Fellows hall in Bridge street. The affair was largely attended and proved a real success. The first part of the program consisted of a rollicking sketch entitled "The Hotel Halfback," which proved very amusing and interesting.

The complete program of the evening was as follows:

First part—Selection, "King Cotton," orchestra; sketch, "The Hotel Halfback," with the following cast: Elias Seichman, proprietor of the Hotel Halfback; G. Jasper, R. Z. Eddy, K. Stipp; Jacob Josphirk, the butcher next door, W. Redding; Washington White, porter in the Hotel Halfback; C. Slipp; Terrible Terry, a Bowery buck, J. Hurd; Charles Chasem, a musician, R. Thissell; Seldon Sells a traveling salesman, B. Normandier; Carrie Coffey, an up-to-date waitress, P. Jarvis.

Second part—Selection "College Chaps," orchestra.

Third part—Miss Verna Slipp, pianist; Ed Perry, interlocutor; Kenneth Slipp, Grant Jasper, Clinton Wright and Charles Wells, ends, assisted by the entire company, in a medley of popular songs, as follows: Grand opening chorus, entire company; end song, "You're Going Back to Carolina," G. Jasper; ballad, "Those Sons My Mother Used to Sing," Bob Hollingworth; end song, "Some of Our Friends," Charles Wells; tenor solo, "As the Years Roll By," B. Costello; end song, "Do You Take This Woman for Your Lawful Wife?" K. Slipp; end song, "She Got Even With Steven," C. Wright; grand finale, "Those Dixie Eyes of Southern Gray," entire company.

## CURLEY TO QUIT CONGRESS

MAYOR OF BOSTON PLANS TO RESIGN JUNE 1—THUS SAVE CITY \$12,000 FOR SPECIAL ELECTIONS

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—Mayor Curley announced last night that it is his intention to resign his congressional seat June 1. It is expected congress will adjourn on that date or soon afterward.

The mayor has decided on resigning at that time in order, he said, that a nomination may be possible in September to fill his unexpired term, which ends March 4, 1915, and the full term that follows. Said he:

"In view of the democratic majority, in excess of two to one, and in view of the additional fact that a special election represents an expense to the city of approximately \$12,000, and a ballot in the state election and a possible loss to business in the district, I have decided to adopt this course."

The election of a candidate for the unexpired term and also for the full term may be voted upon on the same ballot in the state election in the fall, and thereby save the city several thousand dollars.

## LAWRENCE ST. CHURCH

OPENED SUCCESSFUL BAZAAR IN THE VESTRY LAST EVENING

There was a large attendance at the opening of the annual bazaar of the Lawrence Street P. M. church which took place last night in the vestry of the church. The room was beautifully decorated for the occasion with red, white and blue bunting and the various tables and booths erected along the walls of the hall did a thriving business.

The chairman of the evening was Rev. W. W. Mayeux, who was introduced to the assembly by Miss Agnes Chapman, and the entertainment program consisted of musical selections and readings by Mrs. Clegg, Miss Flora Long, Miss Flora Bennett and Galloway's orchestra. The bazaar will continue through Saturday evening, and this evening Dr. Yarnell of the Y. M. C. A. will act as chairman.

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## ALBANIA RULER

Prince William of Wied Making Tour Before Accepting Crown

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Prince William of Wied, who is about to become sovereign of Albania and is making a tour of the capitals of Europe before meeting the delegation of Albanian notables, which is formally to offer him the crown, arrived in London from the continent today. He was received with royal honors, being met by representatives of King George and of the British foreign office. He will visit the King and Sir Edward Grey, secretary of state for foreign affairs later.

After his departure from London he will pay a similar visit to Paris his object being to demonstrate that he is not exclusively under the influence of the Triple Alliance, composed of Austria-Hungary, Germany and Italy.

## TAX RATE OF COUNTIES

FIGURES SENT OUT BY MIDDLESEX COUNTY COMMISSION FOR ALL COUNTIES

The county commissioners have issued a statement showing the comparative rate of county taxation which is presumably correct. The county figures are as follows, the tax rate being for \$1000 valuation:

|            | 1901   | 1904   | 1907   | 1910   | 1913   |
|------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Barnstable | \$2.50 | \$2.58 | \$1.17 | \$1.28 | \$0.56 |
| Berkshire  | 1.18   | 1.53   | 1.36   | 1.47   | 1.23   |
| Bristol    | 1.17   | 1.59   | 1.50   | 1.51   | 1.08   |
| Dukes Co.  | 2.06   | 1.51   | 1.61   | 1.15   | 1.20   |
| Dukes Co.  | 0.81   | 1.00   | 1.10   | 1.39   | 1.17   |
| Franklin   | 2.24   | 2.08   | 2.56   | 1.76   | 1.61   |
| Hampden    | 0.51   | 0.97   | 1.01   | 0.81   | 0.75   |
| Hampshire  | 1.22   | 2.06   | 1.72   | 1.14   | 1.00   |
| Middlesex  | 1.01   | 0.78   | 0.58   | 0.97   | 0.82   |
| Norfolk    | 0.66   | 0.56   | 0.63   | 0.65   | 0.59   |
| Plymouth   | 1.12   | 1.15   | 1.20   | 1.51   | 1.73   |
| Worcester  | 1.06   | 1.05   | 0.92   | 0.93   | 0.73   |

The per capita tax on the population given according to the latest census reports was as follows:

|            | 1901   | 1913   |
|------------|--------|--------|
| Barnstable | \$0.87 | \$1.01 |
| Berkshire  | 0.87   | 1.30   |
| Bristol    | 0.83   | 1.01   |
| Dukes Co.  | 0.85   | 1.20   |
| Dukes Co.  | 0.85   | 1.30   |
| Franklin   | 1.12   | 1.19   |
| Hampden    | 0.81   | 0.83   |
| Hampshire  | 0.85   | 1.00   |
| Middlesex  | 0.98   | 0.93   |
| Norfolk    | 0.60   | 1.00   |
| Plymouth   | 0.82   | 1.20   |
| Worcester  | 0.82   | 1.00   |

The state tax rate per \$1000 valuation and per capita is given as follows:

|                    | 1901    | 1913    |
|--------------------|---------|---------|
| State tax rate     | \$10.41 | \$10.60 |
| Per capita (state) | 92      | 223     |

REV. LEWIS PHILLIPS DEAD  
FRANKLIN, N. H., Feb. 18.—Rev. Lewis Phillips, who for a long time was pastor of the Christian church here, died today. He was born in Woodstock, Vt., 65 years ago and had held pastorate at Haverhill, Mass., and Lubec, Me.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

### OPERA HOUSE

A feature dramatic in the extreme, strikingly original in conception of plot and denouement, is the three-reel Warner product, "The Broken Barrier." To be shown for the first time in this city at the Opera House today. It is a story of gripping intensity and has a strange blending of humor with scintillating pathos. Seldom has any picture been staged in more appropriate or beautiful surroundings. Nearly all the scenes being enacted on a desert island in the South Pacific, and are remarkably effective. Among the other offerings to be shown for the first time are "The Right and Wrong of It," a vivacious drama; "The Doctor's Platitude," an Edison comedy; "Blue Blood and Red," a Sally masterpiece; and "Good Pals," from the Pathe Freres.

### THE NEW HENRIETTA

William H. Crane, Douglas Fairbanks, Amelia Bingham and Patricia Collinge are the stars of individual prominence to be seen here at the New Henrietta soon. The play is by Winchell Smith and Victor Mapes and is based upon Bronson Howard's famous comedy of similar title. It scored a phenomenal success at the Knickerbocker theatre, New York city, and is seen on tour in order to fill engagements which were contracted for earlier in the season when the stellar combination was originally formed.

### KETH'S THEATRE

"The Rest Cure," headlined at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week, provides very excellent amusement for the seeker after novelty accompanied with

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music and fun. Three vaudeville stars appear in the little musical piece, Alan Brooks and Spencer and Williams. Brooks has the part of the young man who negotiates a circular staircase in amusing manner, while Spencer and Williams are the young married couple who are anxious to sell the sanatorium that they may take a honeymoon trip. Some musical numbers, and some really brightly dancing and singing girls add to the festivity of the production. Van Brothers in their original funny musical skit called "Chinese Money" have something which is undeniably good. The comedian of the pair trots out old things in an amusing manner, and the playing of the pair is good. Neil McKinley, a deftly comic comedian, entertains in a variety of manners, confining himself to no one style. He is very good. Mang and Snyder, athletic marvels, are really wonderful, and Gibney and Bicknell in "Small Town Johnny" are entertaining always. On the bill are: "The Two Cliffs," colored singers; and the Pathe Weekly. Good seats for all performances may be secured in advance at the box office. Phone 28.

### MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

If you are, or rather were a depositor in the Federal National bank of this city, you will no doubt be interested to learn that in answering the question "What about my money in the Traders," Madame Fay has predicted that payments will be made the early part of March and that they will be much larger than has been generally expected. This is only one of the many interesting answers to questions which different prominent Lowell people have asked, and at each new performance Madame Fay predicts something vital and important to Lowellites. On the coming Friday matinee Madame Fay will give a special performance for ladies only, at which time those having intimate queries may ask them with the utmost security as at that performance the entire theatre will be given over to the fair sex. If there is anything which you would like to know, "Ask Miss Fay." All you have to do is attend one of her performances any afternoon or evening this week and either write your question at home or in the theatre and Miss Fay will do her best to answer you. Other acts and photo plays.

### THE OWL THEATRE

The loss of a young man's fortune makes his fiancée's father turn him

down, but in a dream he sees a fortune in one of his ancestral property, and acting upon impulse he goes to see the truth of his dream. To his surprise, he finds a fortune at his feet, but is enticed away, and is rescued by a young girl, who is really his fiancée, and she finally wins his heart. This is the plot of "The Phantom Dungeon," in three acts, which will be shown today and tomorrow at the Owl. Five other reels of mixed subjects will also be shown. "The Mutual Girl" will go through her third adventure on Friday and Saturday. Another big 25,000 production will also be shown on Saturday. It is a story of circus life, with a big zoo and acrobats, etc., in the east. This will be worth seeing.

### THE BEN GREAT PLAYERS

The question, "Why does Ben Great present Shakespeare in the Elizabethan manner?" is answered by Mr. Leslie King, who will appear as Shylock in the performance of "The Merchant of Venice," at Colonial hall, Tuesday evening, Feb. 24, for the benefit of the summer playground fund of the Middlesex Women's club.

Mr. King says: "The greatest masterpieces in the world of painting are often placed in the simplest, plainest frames, because any attempt at ornate excellence would cause a jarring note—the charm of the picture, the execution and development of the artistic details of the subject are sufficient in themselves."

"So with Shakespeare's plays, they are seen to best advantage and are more enjoyable when presented in the simplest scenic setting of the Elizabethan period, than when their scenes are more elaborately detailed and actually presented and when their atmosphere is created by the adjunct of canvas and paint, rather than by the art of the actor. Shakespeare needs only ability on the part of the actor to read his lines properly, and the artistic temperament to invest them with life and meaning. Then they may be presented under the great canopy of heaven, in the sylvan shade of the forest, or in the rough, unshorn interior of a barn and his genius of thought will shine as brilliantly, his dramatic fire flash as brightly, his passages of love, his scenes of wit and humor, his tears of sorrow engendered, his laughter by joy and mirth evolved, all sound as true and genuine as if presented in the greatest theatrical structure of the world, with all its scenic accessories and mechanical devices constructed for the purpose of bringing realism to the lines of the modern dramatists."

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# BONES OF TWO EXPLORERS TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

## Capt. Besley Says Cannibals Ate Two Members of Seljan Party on Upper Amazon

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Captain J. Campbell Besley of London arrived at New York yesterday with three companions fresh from the unexplored wilds of Peru, Brazil and the upper waters of the Amazon, where they spent ten months.

A narrative of the trip through the last unknown country of the world reads like a chapter of ancient exploration. It told of following the trail of the ill-fated Seljan expedition, and of the finding of the bones of Seljan and Patrick O'Higgins, who had been devoured by cannibals.

They related the discovery of three pre-Inca cities abandoned 10,000 or 20,000 years ago, but with evidences of marvellous architectural art still intact and wonderful camp utensils and weapons, camp being an alloy of gold and silver. They described the discovery of a city along the upper reaches of the Amazon which was guarded by stone gates weighing thousands of tons, still standing, where the inhabitants had banded up to be cut by machetes a fight with handi running skeletons with Indian tribes using poisoned arrows and old fashioned flintlock guns, and finally finding of a road six feet wide through the jungle, paved and bordered with stone, 1500 miles long, built by prehistoric races when the world was young, according to their histories, and at last the discovery and investigation of a fly more deadly than the tsetse fly of Africa the bite of which deposits a parasite which destroys all skin tissues until death comes.

## LLOYD GEORGE ATTACKED INCOME TAX COLLECTORS

BITTER ONSLAUGHT BY THE LONDON TIMES AIDED AT POPULARITY OF THE CHANCELLOR

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Men in high political circles inside and outside of parliament have been talking much in the last two days of an attack made by the Times yesterday on Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd George. The attack was so carefully and so significantly worded that it is assumed that its object was to provide Mr. Lloyd George with either ground for an action under the common law or for a breach of parliamentary etiquette.

Among the better informed men the opinion is that the article is intended to check the magical popularity of Lloyd George and his crusade against dukes and greedy landlords.

The onslought of the Times on Lloyd George includes charges of "political blackmail" and lying as well as an insinuation of mental infirmity. Such language in the Times is not looked upon as the mere partisan abuse of a less responsible political paper, and it has attracted attention not only on account of its rare appearance in the columns of the Times, but because of the status of the premier's journal.

Taking for its text the incident between the chancellor and the Duke of Montrose, whom Lloyd George accused of being a "flagrant extortioner of land-lord greed," the Times calls attention to the fact that Lloyd George first misrepresented the facts concerning the sale of certain land of which the Duke of Montrose was the owner and substituted the Duke of Montrose's name for that of the real owner in another case.

## CENTRAL FIGURES IN ROW IN HIGH WASHINGTON CIRCLES



CAMINETTI... WILSON... © BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Development apparently show that Anthony Caminetti, commissioner of immigration, is in the bad graces of the administration and in the opinion of several of the closest advisers should be asked to retire from office. Members of the cabinet are particularly angry over what they regard as inexcusable utterances by Mr. Caminetti on the exclusion of Asiatics before the house committee on immigration last Friday and in advocacy of more stringent application of the immigration laws in his annual report to the secretary of labor. Men close to the president think that Secretary Wilson should not have permitted Mr. Caminetti to make such statements upon Japanese immigration before the house immigration committee at this time and criticized him as well as Asiatics before the house committee on immigration last Friday and in advocacy of more stringent application of the immigration laws in his annual report to the secretary of labor.

## NEW YORK MARKET

|                  | High    | Low     | Close   |
|------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Amal Copper      | 75 1/2  | 75 1/2  | 75 1/2  |
| Am Beet Sugar    | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  |
| Am Can pf        | 92 1/2  | 92 1/2  | 92 1/2  |
| Am Car & Pn      | 52 1/2  | 52 1/2  | 52 1/2  |
| Am Car & Pn pf   | 116 1/2 | 116 1/2 | 116 1/2 |
| Am Coal          | 41 1/2  | 41 1/2  | 41 1/2  |
| Am Lumber        | 36 1/2  | 36 1/2  | 36 1/2  |
| Am Smelt & R     | 68 1/2  | 68 1/2  | 68 1/2  |
| Am Smelt & R pf  | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 |
| Am Sugar Refr    | 107 1/2 | 107 1/2 | 107 1/2 |
| Am Soda          | 37 1/2  | 37 1/2  | 37 1/2  |
| Alchison         | 98 1/2  | 98 1/2  | 98 1/2  |
| Alch pf          | 100 1/2 | 100 1/2 | 100 1/2 |
| Balt & Ohio      | 93 1/2  | 93 1/2  | 93 1/2  |
| Br Kap Tran      | 52 1/2  | 52 1/2  | 52 1/2  |
| Cent Leather     | 21 1/2  | 21 1/2  | 21 1/2  |
| Ches & Ohio      | 61 1/2  | 61 1/2  | 61 1/2  |
| Del & Hud        | 156 1/2 | 156 1/2 | 156 1/2 |
| Den & R G pf     | 26 1/2  | 26 1/2  | 26 1/2  |
| Dis Secur Co     | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 |
| Erie             | 30 1/2  | 30 1/2  | 30 1/2  |
| Erie 1st pf      | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  |
| Gen Elec         | 148 1/2 | 148 1/2 | 148 1/2 |
| Gl North pf      | 128 1/2 | 128 1/2 | 128 1/2 |
| Int One pf       | 37 1/2  | 37 1/2  | 37 1/2  |
| Int Met pf       | 26 1/2  | 26 1/2  | 26 1/2  |
| I S Pump pf      | 26 1/2  | 26 1/2  | 26 1/2  |
| Kan City So      | 27 1/2  | 27 1/2  | 27 1/2  |
| K City So pf     | 61 1/2  | 61 1/2  | 61 1/2  |
| Lehigh Valley    | 21 1/2  | 21 1/2  | 21 1/2  |
| Louis & Nash     | 136 1/2 | 136 1/2 | 136 1/2 |
| Missouri Pn      | 27 1/2  | 27 1/2  | 27 1/2  |
| Nat Load pf      | 109 1/2 | 109 1/2 | 109 1/2 |
| N Y Central      | 91 1/2  | 91 1/2  | 91 1/2  |
| N Y West         | 104 1/2 | 104 1/2 | 104 1/2 |
| North Pacific    | 117 1/2 | 117 1/2 | 117 1/2 |
| Ont & West       | 116 1/2 | 116 1/2 | 116 1/2 |
| Pennsylvania     | 112 1/2 | 112 1/2 | 112 1/2 |
| People's Gas     | 122 1/2 | 122 1/2 | 122 1/2 |
| Pressed Steel    | 44 1/2  | 44 1/2  | 44 1/2  |
| Fullman Co       | 154 1/2 | 154 1/2 | 154 1/2 |
| Ry St & Co       | 32 1/2  | 32 1/2  | 32 1/2  |
| Reading          | 168 1/2 | 168 1/2 | 168 1/2 |
| Rep Iron & S     | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  |
| Rock Is          | 75 1/2  | 75 1/2  | 75 1/2  |
| Rock Is pf       | 104 1/2 | 104 1/2 | 104 1/2 |
| St L & So        | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  | 25 1/2  |
| St Paul          | 101 1/2 | 101 1/2 | 101 1/2 |
| So Pacific       | 96 1/2  | 96 1/2  | 96 1/2  |
| Southern Ry      | 26 1/2  | 26 1/2  | 26 1/2  |
| Southern Ry pf   | 83 1/2  | 83 1/2  | 83 1/2  |
| Tenn Copper      | 36 1/2  | 36 1/2  | 36 1/2  |
| Union Pac        | 44 1/2  | 44 1/2  | 44 1/2  |
| Union Pac pf     | 163 1/2 | 163 1/2 | 163 1/2 |
| U S Rub          | 69 1/2  | 69 1/2  | 69 1/2  |
| U S Rub pf       | 101 1/2 | 101 1/2 | 101 1/2 |
| U S Steel        | 68 1/2  | 68 1/2  | 68 1/2  |
| U S Steel pf     | 109 1/2 | 109 1/2 | 109 1/2 |
| Utah Copper      | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 | 102 1/2 |
| Wabash           | 65 1/2  | 65 1/2  | 65 1/2  |
| Wabash pf        | 82 1/2  | 82 1/2  | 82 1/2  |
| Western Union    | 71 1/2  | 71 1/2  | 71 1/2  |
| Western Union pf | 65 1/2  | 65 1/2  | 65 1/2  |
| W R & E          | 4 1/2   | 4 1/2   | 4 1/2   |

## COTTON FUTURES

|          | Open  | Close |
|----------|-------|-------|
| March    | 12.20 | 12.20 |
| May      | 11.91 | 11.91 |
| July     | 11.86 | 11.86 |
| October  | 11.46 | 11.46 |
| December | 11.55 | 11.55 |

## MOVEMENTS WERE SMALL

DURING FIRST HALF-HOUR—NO DEFINITE ASPECT UNTIL NOON—CLOSED HEAVY

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Only a small amount of orders was awaiting execution at the opening of today's market and movements in the first half hour were small. Offering of stocks by bears who sought to extend the week's decline failed to make an impression and the attempt was abandoned. The market was toward a higher level with Canadian Pacific rising one point and Mexican Petroleum 2. Great Northern pf., which declined abruptly yesterday, an announcement of the new stock fell a point further today, making its total loss 10 points.

The market assumed no definite aspect today until shortly before noon when there was a general rise in prices. Prior to that time the movement was narrow and hesitating. Selling of Great Northern preferred and Union Pacific gave the list at times a reactionary tinge. The improvement which eventually took place lifted Union Pacific, United States Steel, New York Central, Pennsylvania and Lehigh Valley to a point over yesterday's close and other leading shares nearly as much. New Haven made up most of a loss of 1-1/4. Buying was not in large volume, but operations on the long side were conducted more confidently than it became evident that bear selling was having little effect. Bonds were steady.

The advance was continued with greater vigor in the afternoon and prices rose from one to 2-1/2 points. Strength in the market was due partly to the news from Washington that President Wilson had urged a quick decision in the freight rate case. Shorts covered freely and there was increased buying for the long account. The market closed heavy. Large selling orders were executed in the final half hour and prices reacted from one to one and a half points. The selling was due to despatches from Washington denying Wall Street reports that President Wilson had declared himself in favor of a settlement of the eastern freight rates question.

## OFFICIAL DENIAL

Of Report That Eldest Daughter of Pres. Wilson is Engaged

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Publication of an official denial of a report that Mrs. Margaret Wilson, the president's eldest daughter, was engaged to be married to Royd Fisher of Kansas City, Mo., was requested today at the White House.

## BABY SMOKES CIGARETS

GRANDFATHER OF THREE-YEAR-OLD BOY, WHO PERMITTED IT, FINED IN COURT

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—Three years old, but a cigar smoker, Charles Purdy toddled into the Waltham police court yesterday, when his grandfather, Hugh Purdy, was arraigned, charged with giving a cigar to a minor and with assault.

Mrs. Annand Graves, sister-in-law of Purdy, testified the child picked up cigar butts around the house, and often lay in his grandfather's arms and smoked. She declared she was trying to take him from his grandfather when the assault took place.

Four officers testified the child was a frequent user of tobacco.

The court imposed a fine of \$5.

## HIS BRAIN EXPOSED

SIDNEY H. GOODACRE, OF NEW YORK UNDERGOES DARING OPERATION ON THE SKULL

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Sidney H. Goodacre, city superintendent of markets, is in a serious condition at the Post-Graduate hospital, and if his life is saved it will be because of a delicate and unusual operation performed upon him last Saturday at the institution.

Mr. Goodacre was suffering with a form of necrosis of the frontal bone of the skull. The affected part was removed by the operation and since then the patient has been lying with two inches of his brain exposed. He is kept up by stimulants and has a fighting chance for his life, the doctors say. The greatest danger now is the development of meningitis.

## ON COLD STORAGE

The need of some safe, efficient and hygienic method of preserving food materials for human consumption is being more forcibly brought home to American purchasers and producers every year. The value of scientific knowledge has been underestimated, although it has limitations, such as the alteration of flavor and the relative expense. Sterilization by heat is applied in many cases with success. The use of chemical preservatives has received a wholesome check through legislation. Much careful consideration has been directed to the possibilities and limitations of cold storage as a mode of food preservation, from both the hygienic and the economic point of view. Although the preservative effect of low temperatures on foodstuffs has long been known, the study of the

## BOSTON MARKET

|                 | High   | Low    | Close  |
|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Boston Elevated | 83 1/2 | 82 1/2 | 82 1/2 |
| Bos & Maine     | 46 1/2 | 46 1/2 | 46 1/2 |
| N Y & N H       | 70 1/2 | 69 1/2 | 69 1/2 |

## RAILROADS

|                   | High   | Low    | Close  |
|-------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Adventure         | 17 1/2 | 17 1/2 | 17 1/2 |
| Allouez           | 48 1/2 | 48 1/2 | 48 1/2 |
| Arctian           | 14 1/2 | 14 1/2 | 14 1/2 |
| Arizona           | 57 1/2 | 57 1/2 | 57 1/2 |
| Cal & Arizona     | 50 1/2 | 50 1/2 | 50 1/2 |
| Cal & Hecla       | 41 1/2 | 41 1/2 | 41 1/2 |
| Centennial        | 14 1/2 | 14 1/2 | 14 1/2 |
| Chino             | 12 1/2 | 12 1/2 | 12 1/2 |
| Copper Range      | 30 1/2 | 30 1/2 | 30 1/2 |
| E Butte           | 12 1/2 | 12 1/2 | 12 1/2 |
| Franklin          | 15 1/2 | 15 1/2 | 15 1/2 |
| Granby            | 57 1/2 | 57 1/2 | 57 1/2 |
| Greene-Caracas    | 19 1/2 | 19 1/2 | 19 1/2 |
| Hancock           | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| Kerr Lake         | 17 1/2 | 17 1/2 | 17 1/2 |
| La Salle          | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| Mass              | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| Mohawk            | 41 1/2 | 41 1/2 | 41 1/2 |
| Nevada            | 16 1/2 | 16 1/2 | 16 1/2 |
| Nipissing         | 30 1/2 | 30 1/2 | 30 1/2 |
| North Butte       | 30 1/2 | 30 1/2 | 30 1/2 |
| Old Colony        | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| Old Dominion      | 13 1/2 | 13 1/2 | 13 1/2 |
| Quincy            | 30 1/2 | 30 1/2 | 30 1/2 |
| Itav Con          | 20 1/2 | 20 1/2 | 20 1/2 |
| Santa Fe          | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| Shannon           | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| Superior          | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| Superior & Boston | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| Tamarack          | 40 1/2 | 40 1/2 | 40 1/2 |
| Utah Cons         | 13 1/2 | 13 1/2 | 13 1/2 |
| Wilsons           | 42 1/2 | 42 1/2 | 42 1/2 |

## MINING

|              | High    | Low     | Close   |
|--------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Am Tel & Tel | 121 1/2 | 121 1/2 | 121 1/2 |

## TELEPHONE

|              | High    | Low     | Close   |
|--------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Am Tel & Tel | 121 1/2 | 121 1/2 | 121 1/2 |

## MISCELLANEOUS

|                   | High    | Low     | Close   |
|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Alaska Gold       | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  |
| Am Ag Chem        | 54 1/2  | 54 1/2  | 54 1/2  |
| Am Ag Chem pf     | 56 1/2  | 56 1/2  | 56 1/2  |
| Am Wolfr          | 67 1/2  | 67 1/2  | 67 1/2  |
| American Zinc     | 20 1/2  | 20 1/2  | 20 1/2  |
| Butte & Superior  | 36 1/2  | 36 1/2  | 36 1/2  |
| Island Creek Coal | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  | 47 1/2  |
| Isle Royale       | 23 1/2  | 23 1/2  | 23 1/2  |
| Lake Copper       | 9 1/2   | 9 1/2   | 9 1/2   |
| Miami Copper      | 23 1/2  | 23 1/2  | 23 1/2  |
| Swift & Co        | 107 1/2 | 107 1/2 | 107 1/2 |
| U S Smelting      | 42 1/2  | 42 1/2  | 42 1/2  |
| U S Smelting pf   | 24 1/2  | 24 1/2  | 24 1/2  |
| Utah Apex         | 24 1/2  | 24 1/2  | 24 1/2  |

## UNLISTED SECURITIES

|                   | High    | Low     | Close   |
|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Alaska Gold       | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  | 22 1/2  |
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| Utah Apex         | 24 1/2  | 24 1/2  | 24 1/2  |

## BONDS

|               | High   | Low    | Close  |
|---------------|--------|--------|--------|
| do cons 4 1/2 | 97 1/2 | 97 1/2 | 97 1/2 |

## MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Merchandise paper 3 1/2 and 4 1/2. Sterling exchange, steady; 60-day bills 48 1/2 for demand 48 1/2; commercial bills 43 1/2. Silver 57 1/2. Mexican dollars 48. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds steady. Call money steady 1 1/2 and 2 percent; ruling rates 1 1/2 and 2 percent; closing 1 1/2 and 2 percent. Time loans steady; 60 days 2 1/2 and 2 3/4; 90 days 2 1/2 and 3; six months 3 1/2 and 4.

## COTTON SPOT

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—The decline on the local exchange during the early hours today was marked. Granby dropped 2 to 3, and Boston & Maine fell 1 to 4. Other stocks were fractionally weak.

## STUDIES OHIO RIVER BASIN

U. S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY ISSUES REPORT CONTAINING RECORDS OF FLOW OF THE OHIO

The water supply of the United States is undoubtedly its greatest single mineral resource. The study of water resources is therefore one of the most important governmental investigations. The United States Geological Survey has been making a systematic study of the rivers and other water supplies in the United States and during the last 15 years has published nearly 250 reports presenting the results of this work. Perhaps the most useful phase of the work is the measurement of the flow of streams. Records of stream flow are absolutely essential to any intelligent river development, whether it be in the interest of navigation, of flood prevention, or of irrigation, of land drainage, or of power development. In a report just issued by the survey dealing with the surface water supply of the Ohio river basin—water supply paper 303—attention is given to a successful practical test today when 700 pupils at the U. S. Grant school in East Boston marched out of the building within two minutes and ten seconds after a slight hiss had been discovered in a closet. Few of the children knew of the fire until they had left the building.

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## WATER SUPPLY PAPER 303

Covering the Ohio river basin, contains a large number of records of the flow of numerous tributaries of the Ohio in 1911. A copy may be had without cost on application to the director of the Geological Survey at Washington, D. C.

## ALLEGED DESPERADOS

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Both young men denied their identity when taken to the police station but when letters were taken from their pockets postmarked Lawrence they admitted that they came to Lowell from Lawrence. Further than this admission, however, they would not go and they stuck to the story that they had nothing to do with either the assault or the robbery.

As soon as he learned of the capture of Lawrence, Greenwald and Verlie both "slung" to their original story saying that they were in Lawrence and that they could prove it all. Both will appear before the police court in Lawrence tomorrow morning charged with assault and battery and robbery. Two others of the gang were captured by the down river police.

Rachel H. Lyman was sent to jail for ten days. Her two children were held in the hands of Agent Richardson of the Humane society.

Mary L. Lessard pleaded not guilty to the larceny of two skirts from Mary Gagnon. The latter testified that the defendant lived at her house and took two skirts from her room on Sunday. The defendant brought the skirts back on the following Wednesday.

It developed that the Lessard girl keeps company with the Gagnon woman's son. The defendant had the Gagnon man arrested last week and told Judge Bright that the man's mother loaned the present warrant simply for spite. The defendant was brought straight out to jail for a month to get straightened out.

Trouble in Leading House

Louis Charland raised a rumpus in a leading house along Officer Kenney's beat last night and the latter brought him to the station. The man who keeps the leading house and the defendant had quite a rowing argument in court this morning. After a hearing both sides of the case Judge Enright ordered the charge of drunkenness filed on condition that the defendant immediately locate in another apartment.

Charmes P. Bragdon, a parole man from the state farm was arrested last night and taken to the station. He was charged with drunkenness and John Galt was committed to the same place for his part in the case. The charge against Bragdon was also taken to the station.

Charles H. Pictorial

Rep. Southers and Teague and Col.

Chairman's Sharp Retort

Col. Logan insinuated that certain questions asked by Chairman Newhall had been suggested by somebody else and to this the chairman took exception. "I have been in this legislature for a number



# LETTER FROM TOM DALY

Former Lowell Catcher, Now on World's Tour as Member of the Chicago White Sox

The sporting editor of The Sun was greeted by a very pleasant surprise this morning when he entered the editorial rooms and found a letter from Tom Daly, the ex-Lowell catcher and now a member of the White Sox squad which is making the world's tour with the Giants.

Daly is having the time of his life on the trip and says that all of the players are enjoying life to the nth degree. The letter in part is as follows:

Ceylon, India, January 11, 1914.

Mr. C. P. Dodge: Friend Dale: I have been intending to drop you a line for your paper ever since we left 'Prisco but have kept putting it off.



CATCHER TOM DALY

ner ball and somehow or other he got one just where he could use it best. The smash he gave that old horsehide rode both men home and Jim was logging it for the plate when the third base bleachers swarmed onto the field and picked him off his feet and carried him round the park. The expression on Thorpe's face plainly showed that he didn't know whether he was being carried off to a banquet or a slaughter house. The Japs are the liveliest people we have come across yet. "Everywhere we go there are always Americans to greet us and they certainly do it right royally. And, if you'll believe it, we're just as glad to see them as they are to see us. A face that you know comes from the States is a big treat, after seeing so many varieties of foreign mugs lined up along the base-lines.

We have been over the worst of the trip now, that is the hardest on the exchequer, and I think that it has been a financial success even thus far. The trip will probably clean up quite a bunch of money for both clubs, but all of the boys will be perfectly satisfied if we don't receive a cent for it has been a great experience for all of us.

I suppose you know about Mr. Con-lakey being sick. He is one great man and his illness has sort of thrown a gloom over the camp. They are going to send him along ahead of us to a specialist on his disease and I guess he will pull out of it O. K.

Well, you can perhaps dig up a little news out of this that you can use. Don't forget to remember me to Jimmy Gray, John Gull and all the rest of the boys. Tell Jimmy that I sincerely hope he will pull out another pennant winner and tell him that the boys are hustling upstairs now to do their tops, so I will have to quit you. Take care of yourself, old top, and send us along a paper when there is anything doing. Your friend, Tommy Daly.

## BIG ATTACHMENT FILED

AGAINST THE BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD AT LOCAL REGISTRY OF DEEDS

An attachment for the sum of \$190,000 was filed at the local registry of deeds this afternoon against the Boston & Maine railroad by William Schaumburg of New York in an action of contract.

## DIED OUT WEST

W. W. Riley Who Has Sister in Lowell Dead at Wyoming

The following telegram was received this morning by Sept. Welch of the police department:

Guernsey, Wyo., Feb. 17.

Chief of Police, Lowell, Mass.

W. W. Riley who has married sister living in Lowell, died here yesterday.

Sister's husband is contractor. Get address and advise us as to remains.

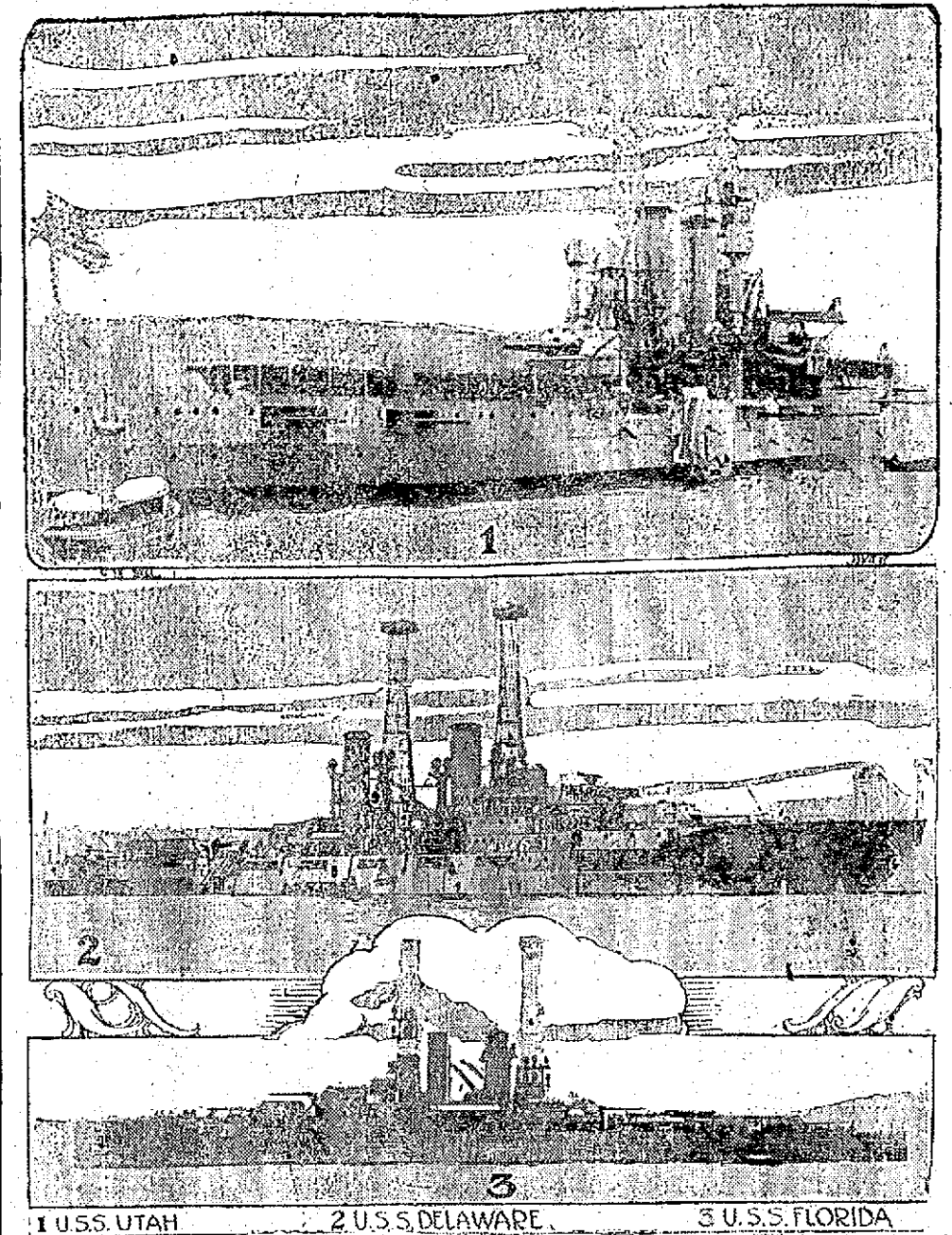
Margaret McNally.

Guernsey, Wyoming.

The police do not know the deceased or his family and thus far have gotten no trace of the sister, although every effort is being made to locate the relatives of the dead man.

Buffaloes, Lincoln, Thurs., Miner's.

## THE TRIO OF U. S. DREADNOUGHTS SENT TO STRENGTHEN FLEET IN MEXICAN WATERS



VERA CRUZ, Feb. 18.—The Delaware, the Florida and the Utah have replaced three of the United States warships here and have considerably strengthened the fleet owing to the fact that they are three of the most powerful craft in the navy and carry more marines than the three craft replaced. The United States marines on hand here ready for service in Mexico when required now number about 3,000.

## APPEALS OF THE WOMEN

Woman Suffrage Constitutional Amendment Came Up for Talk in the Senate Today

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The woman suffrage constitutional amendment came up for talk but no action today in the senate. Senator Hristov charged President Wilson with being inconsistent when he declined to favor suffrage because it was not treated in the democratic platform while he was asking congress to repeal the Panama tolls exemption which the platform favored.

"The grand of the railroad and the audacious claims of Great Britain seem far more potent with our chief executive than appeals of women," he said.

When Senator Owen took the floor to defend President Wilson, the debate turned from suffrage to Panama tolls. He declared there was likely to creep into a party platform some plank not fully digested and therefore not to be regarded as conclusive upon the party.

"That question had not been decided upon by the national democracy," said he. "I say that the conscience of no democracy is bound by the platform because it does not represent the sober judgment of the party but merely represents what some persons who found themselves in a position to voice the principles of the party believed had been determined upon."

Lodge Defends President

Declaring that President Wilson did not like to see "the United States in the attitude of an outlaw among the nations," Senator Lodge, republican, vigorously defended the president.

It is certain, that the president is guided in this matter entirely by what he thinks is to the honor and the credit of the United States in its foreign relations. He has no other object in view. I think he has the feeling that in one way or another—and I am attaching no blame to anyone—the United States has incurred the dislike of other nations and the distrust of some of them where trust had prevailed before.

He realizes that the rightful position of the United States is not to be obtained by disregard of international obligations or reversing policies long held simply to gratify some passing whim.

Senator Lodge added that as a republican he would not feel bound to vote for planks seeking to regulate legislation. For one, he felt he should give the president every assistance.

## A SHARP BATTLE

Between Government Troops and Rebels at Haiti Today

CAPE HAITIEN, Haiti, Feb. 18.—A sharp battle was in progress today between the government troops and the rebels at Grande Riviere, 15 miles from this port. The partisans of Senator Dauterive Theodore, the rebel leader, were so hard pressed that they requested reinforcements.

At the same time the Haitian government war vessel Nord Alexis bombarded Cap-Haitien and another force of government troops had reached Limbe, west of Cape Haitien.

The foreign consular corps in Cape Haitien, together with the commandant of the United States war vessel San Francisco advised Senator Theodore to retire from the city but he refused to do so.

American bluejackets are patrolling the streets to prevent looting.

THE BALLOT TO WOMEN

MASS. LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE TODAY VOTED FOR REFERENDUM ON THE QUESTION

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—Both sides of the suffrage movement of Massachusetts having agreed to a referendum on the question of granting the ballot to women, the legislative committee on constitutional amendments voted today in favor of such a resolve. If the legislature approves, the question will be voted upon at the election in November.

The opponents of suffrage notified the committee that they believed the question should be submitted to the voters as soon as possible as in their opinion the state was not in favor of the measure and its defeat would serve to quiet the agitation for several years.

SUCCESSFUL WHIST ENJOYED

A successful whist for the benefit of St. Louis church was conducted at the home of Mrs. Joseph Delorme, 328 Middle street last night. The affair had been organized by Mrs. Delorme and her daughter, Marguerite, who is vice president of the bonnet table at the coming festival, which

## ART TREASURES RUINED

\$1,000,000 Loss by Blaze in the Summer Residence of Mrs. Wm. K. Vanderbilt, Jr.

JERICHO, L. I., Feb. 18.—The country home of Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., valued with its furnishings and art treasures at nearly \$1,000,000, was destroyed today by fire. The only occupants were a caretaker and servants left to look after the property. The caretaker attributed the blaze to an overheated furnace. The fire department of Hicksville and Westbury were called but on account of the snow-clogged roads they were unable to "drag their apparatus to the scene. The house was built last year at a cost of \$400,000 and later additions cost \$100,000 more. It had 60 rooms. The walls were hung with rare tapestries and valuable paintings.

## STRIKE INQUIRY LINERS COLLIDE

Alleged Violations by Celtic of White Star Line and Madonna of Fabre Line Damaged

HANCOCK, Mich., Feb. 18.—A telegram from Gov. Ferris asking Chairman Taylor to send him by telegraph dates and places of alleged violations of the law by the Michigan national guard together with available names of officers was read today at the opening of the congressional strike inquiry into the copper mines strike. It was in response to the invitation extended the executive yesterday to have the state represented when the strikers make their charges against the militia.

BOY HAD TWO STOMACHS

X-RAYS LEADS TO DISCOVERY IN HOSPITAL IN INTERLAKEN—GREAT INTEREST IN CASE

BERNE, Feb. 18.—A lad of 19 is a patient in a hospital at Interlaken and was placed under the X-rays yesterday and it was discovered that he has two stomachs. Medical men are greatly interested in the case and will send the youth to Berlin to be examined by specialists.

DANCING PARTY HELD

By Glee Club of Federal Shoe Shop—Concert and Dancing Were the Features

The Federal Glee club held an entertainment and dance in the Thomas Talbot Memorial hall last night and the affair was one of the most successful events conducted in this hall during the present year. Dancing, the main feature of the evening, was enjoyed from 8 o'clock until 12, to music furnished by the Federal Glee club orchestra, Fred Devio, leader.

The entertainment consisted of: Overture, orchestra; song, Mr. Delaney; song, Mr. Picard and song, Mr. Brunsard. Miss Ida Picard was the accompanist.

The officers of the dance were as follows: General manager, E. Rogers; assistant general manager, T. Heland; floor director, J. Conelidine; assistant floor director, Miss V. Hestian; chief aid, Miss N. Regan; aids, Misses H. McGinnis, H. Maguire, S. Blakely, V. Picard, L. Bellmore, E. Connelly, L. Picard, E. Spillane, M. Eggen, M. Mudd, M. Spilly, Messrs. M. Lenox, J. Marshall, W. Foley, T. Lotourneau, E. Kimball, L. Dumont, A. Chapdelaine, F. Mansur, C. McGee, A. Hamelin and E. Poulton.

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## STRIKE INQUIRY LINERS COLLIDE

Alleged Violations by Celtic of White Star Line and Madonna of Fabre Line Damaged

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BOY HAD TWO STOMACHS

X-RAYS LEADS TO DISCOVERY IN HOSPITAL IN INTERLAKEN—GREAT INTEREST IN CASE

BERNE, Feb. 18.—A lad of 19 is a patient in a hospital at Interlaken and was placed under the X-rays yesterday and it was discovered that he has two stomachs. Medical men are greatly interested in the case and will send the youth to Berlin to be examined by specialists.

DANCING PARTY HELD

By Glee Club of Federal Shoe Shop—Concert and Dancing Were the Features

The Federal Glee club held an entertainment and dance in the Thomas Talbot Memorial hall last night and the affair was one of the most successful events conducted in this hall during the present year. Dancing, the main feature of the evening, was enjoyed from 8 o'clock until 12, to music furnished by the Federal Glee club orchestra, Fred Devio, leader.

The entertainment consisted of: Overture, orchestra; song, Mr. Delaney; song, Mr. Picard and song, Mr. Brunsard. Miss Ida Picard was the accompanist.

The officers of the dance were as follows: General manager, E. Rogers; assistant general manager, T. Heland; floor director, J. Conelidine; assistant floor director, Miss V. Hestian; chief aid, Miss N. Regan; aids, Misses H. McGinnis, H. Maguire, S. Blakely, V. Picard, L. Bellmore, E. Connelly, L. Picard, E. Spillane, M. Eggen, M. Mudd, M. Spilly, Messrs. M. Lenox, J. Marshall, W. Foley, T. Lotourneau, E. Kimball, L. Dumont, A. Chapdelaine, F. Mansur, C. McGee, A. Hamelin and E. Poulton.

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**THE SUN IN BOSTON—THE SUN IS** on sale every day at both news stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

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GOOD SOUND BUSINESS HORSE wanted. Must be a good driver, city broke and afraid of nothing. Write to D. H. Sun Office, stating age, weight and price.  
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**NOVELS WANTED, MEDICAL, MAG-** net, Eagle, Harp, also bound books. Merritt's Book Store, 217 Middlesex st.  
**THE GOOD PEOPLE OF LOWELL** wanted to buy 1st Hour Asbestos Stove lining, 15 and 25 cent boxes, at all stove dealers.

**LEGISLATIVE HEARINGS**  
**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHU-** SETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 18, 1914. The committee on Insurance will give a hearing to parties interested in H. 108, election of officers, etc., in fraternal societies, S. 161, as to Massachusetts Employees Insurance association; H. 975 and H. 1659, on insurance brokers and on appointment of brokers and agents; H. 1234 and H. 1771, on license for insurance brokers and agents; at room 505, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 19th, at 10.30 a. m. Address P. O. Box 668, 13th st., N. Y. City.  
**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHU-** SETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 18, 1914. The committee on Harbors and Public Works will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 1691, for improving navigation of Concord river; at room 413, State House, on Friday, Feb. 19th, at 10.30 a. m. William A. Bellamy, Chairman. Charles H. McGuire, Clerk of the Committee.

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**LADIES—\$6 TO \$8 WEEK—MAKING** plain aprons, home, legitimate; no canvassing, no pay you. Particulars and full size sample apron sent for 25c. silver. Union Supply House, 305 New York ave., Jersey City, N. J.  
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**FANCY IRONERS WANTED AT** Billerica Custom Laundry, North Billerica.  
**IRONERS, MANDLER AND FOLD-** ing wanted. Apply Scribner's Laundry, 255 Lawrence st., Lowell, Mass.  
**GIRLS WANTED—CAP SPINNERS** and twisters; also a few copy makers and steady work and good pay. Address Limerick Mills, Limerick, Me.  
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**LOCAL PARTNER WANTED—NO** investment, all steel sectional garages and small buildings; very attractive proposition; highest sales co-operation; permanent profitable. Apply Manufacturing Co., Jackson, Mich.  
**LEARN THE AUTO REPAIRING** business, including road driving, tool making and lathe work; applications now open, day or evening. 14 Living-ston st.  
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**LADY OR GIRL WANTED, EACH** town, good pay, spare time, copy makers for advertisers, each weekly. Stamps for particulars. American Adv. Bureau, Dept. F, Lexington, Mass., N. H.  
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**SALESMAN WANTED BY WELL** known manufacturer to handle high grade specialty sold to manufacturers; exceptional opportunity for big caliber commission man with knowledge of factory systems and operations. Apply P. O. Box M, Chicopee Falls, Mass.

**LEGAL NOTICES**  
**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHU-** SETTS. Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Margaret A. Fisher, wife of Lowell, in said County, deceased. Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John Hamilton, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, executor thereof, named without giving a surety on his official bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of March, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing in the last issue of each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in said County, the last publication to be one day, at least, before the day of the hearing, by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least, before the day of the hearing. Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.  
W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

**LOST AND FOUND**  
**CHILD'S BROWN FUR COLLAR** lost Thursday afternoon between the Vermont school and Bridge st. Return to Mrs. L. H. Wilson, 79 West Sixth st. and receive reward.  
**PURSE CONTAINING LARGE SUM** of money lost between Merrimack street and the Chelmsford Centre car. Reward for return to Mrs. John Dunlay, 431 Chelmsford street.  
**GOLD WATCH LOST BETWEEN** Sieden st. and Lawrence Hosier; this morning, initials E. F. B. on back. Reward if returned to 32 Sieden st.  
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**THE WILTSHIRE** Virginia ave. and beach. Ocean view. Greatly improved and refurnished. Cap. 550. Private baths, running water in rooms, elevator, etc. Mue. Special—\$12.50 up weekly; \$2.50 up daily. Open all year. Booklet Samuel Ellis.

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7-ROOM COTTAGE FOR SALE, 5000 feet land, hen house and stable; in Pawtucketville. Inquire 67 Third ave.

**WANTED**  
50,000 Tobacco Tags  
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Separate room \$1 per month for regular 42 two-hour load. Planos 50c. The driest and cleanest place for storage in Lowell. Telephone connection. O. S. Trenton, 258 Bridge st.

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Room 3, 31 Merrimack St., 17 John st. Hours: 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Monday and Saturday until 9 p. m. Tel. Con. License No. 61.

**WANTED**  
Cap spinners, twisters, juck spoolers and drawing room help at once. Apply Brookside Worsted Mills, Brookside, Mass.

**N. E. TEL. DIRECTORS**  
INSPECTED LOCAL PLANS AND HELD MONTHLY MEETING AT APPLETON STREET OFFICE  
The directors of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company held their monthly meeting at the new central office building on Appleton street in this city yesterday. This is in accordance with a plan to familiarize some of the new members of the directorate with local conditions. Some of the larger cities of New England and to enable them to meet the personnel of the organization of the various divisions. The visitors arrived shortly after noon, and were met by the officers of the Eastern Massachusetts division, of which Mr. Wm. W. Whitcomb, of Lowell, is the headquarter. Luncheon was served in the cosy dining room set apart for the headquarters of the Lowell Exchange, who hospitably extended the use of their quarters for the occasion, and then the directors held their formal meeting in the big operators' rest room. The directors present at the luncheon were: Gen. Thomas Sherwin, chairman of the board; President Philip L. Spaulding; Dr. Moses G. Parker, of this city; Wm. Whitcomb, of Lowell; N. H. W. Cameron, governor of Boston (late governor of the Philippines); Henry S. Hyde, of Springfield; Charles P. Smith, of Burlington, Vt.; Bernard W. Trafford, of Boston, and E. B. Winslow of Portland, Me. Others of the luncheon party were: Wm. R. Driver, Jr., general manager; T. N. Whitney, general commercial superintendent; George H. Dresser, general superintendent of plant; E. J. Bowen, general superintendent of traffic; Geo. K. Mansor, chief engineer; E. W. Longley, general auditor; E. J. Parker, II, A. McCoy and O. J. West, division superintendents of the commercial, plant and traffic departments; and C. F. Grover, B. J. Mahoney and J. A. Wilson, respectively district manager, district plant chief, and district traffic chief; and F. J. Healy and C. J. Lester, manager at Lowell. After the luncheon the directors inspected the new central office building and met Miss Snow, the chief operator, and some of her assistants and took a late afternoon train for Boston.

## LIQUOR DEALERS HEARD MURDER OF 51 PERSONS

By License Commission in Reference to Having Bottles on Their Premises

Owing to the discovery of bottles and flasks upon the premises of seven holders of first class licenses and the reporting of the same to the mayor the seven holders of these licenses were called before the license commission last night to explain the presence of the bottles and flasks. The suspicion aroused by their discovery on the premises of a first class licensee was that the bar and bottle bill was in danger of being broken.

Each dealer who appeared last night asserted that the bottles and flasks were either purchased before the bar and bottle bill went into effect or were being stored in their respective premises until such time as a sufficient quantity would have been acquired to sell in bulk.

Ed. P. Shea, who holds a first class license at 73 East Merrimack street, was the first dealer called before the board. It was reported that he had a large amount of pint and half pint bottles in his cellar when the last inspection was made on Feb. 6. Mr. Shea said that the bottles found in his cellar were the accumulation of several years and that he never had been notified to remove them. He did not know that he was violating the law and simply wanted to save the flasks in order to convert them into money later. He further said that he threw all of the bottles into the Merrimack river when he read the article in the paper relative to the finding of the liquor stored behind the bar in the establishment of J. H. Callahan & Co. and W. J. Eastman, as manager, to explain why they were there. They were used as beer kegs and were kept in a drawer filled with corks was also found on the premises.

Fred Barrows, of 546 Gorham street, flashed no invoice and, waybill on the commission when his case was called. These bills showed that the bottles and bottle bill was passed. Most of the bottles bore the firm's name and Mr. Barrows presented the argument that the person bent on illegally selling liquor would sell the same in a bottle marked with his name. The bottles, said he, were in a cellar simply for storage purposes.

The firm of D. P. Sullivan & Co. of 2 Andrews street, was next asked to explain the presence of bottles upon their premises. A representative of this firm presented the argument that, inasmuch as the firm maintained both a first and fourth class license, that there would be no apparent object in the first class licensee employee violating the bar and bottle law. The bottles found on the premises of the first class licensee were simply placed there on account of the lack of space in the fourth class department.

Henry Garvey of the Washington hotel asserted that he did not realize that it was contrary to law to keep bottles on the premises of a first class licensee. The bottles found in his place, said Mr. Garvey, were used to send liquor upstairs to the guests of his hotel. The bottles were always sent up uncorked.

Ed. Gannon, at 291 Moody street, appeared in person and said that the bottles discovered on his premises were old bottles which he was accumulating to sell. He soaked the labels off these bottles, he said, and saved them until he had a large number. Several jugs were also found there and Mr. Gannon

Mexican Bandit Will be Turned Over to Rebels—Villa Promises Immediate Trial

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 15.—A dispatch from Washington saying that Maximilian Castillo, the bandit leader, would be delivered to the constitutionalists was brought to the notice of General Villa today. He received the news with satisfaction and said Castillo would be formally charged with the murder of M. J. Gilmarin, an American, and with others at the Cuernavaca tunnel.

Villa promised that the trial would not be delayed.

**AMERICAN AND BRITISH SUBJECT UNDER ARREST AT JUAREZ, MEXICO**  
JUAREZ, Mexico, Feb. 15.—Two foreigners, one a British and the other an American, are under arrest here and the American, Gustav Rouch, whose sister, a Mrs. Paterson of this city, says he was born of German parents in Louisiana, may be shot as a spy. Rouch was arrested Sunday and tried by a court martial yesterday. He was found guilty and sentenced to be hanged with General Villa. Mrs. Paterson last night entreated the general to release her brother or at least to spare his life, but the rebel leader declined to commit himself. Mrs. Paterson announced her intention of appealing to the consul general today to intercede for the prisoner. Rouch has been a railroad engineer in Mexico for many years.

The British subject arrested in William Benton, owner of a 100,000 acre ranch west of the city of Chihuahua. He has lived in Mexico for 30 years and his wife is a Mexican. He was arrested on suspicion of having been connected with the federal filibustering movement having its base on the American side and which became known last Wednesday when a detachment of soldiers escaped across the Rio Grande at Ysleta, 15 miles east of El Paso.

**NEWS OF LEGISLATURE**  
**Butler Statue Again—Lowell Teacher Urges Tenure of Office Before Committee**  
BOSTON, Feb. 13.—Senator Hobbs of Worcester offered in the state senate yesterday an order requesting the supreme judicial court to give an opinion upon the question whether the constitution of the commonwealth can be amended by a constitutional convention or whether all amendments must be made in conformity with the provisions of article IX of the amendments to the constitution. That article provides in brief that any proposed specific amendment shall be adopted if it is passed in two successive years by a majority of the senate and two-thirds of the house and is then ratified by the voters of the state. Apparently no other provision for amending the constitution is made in that document, and yet several constitutional conventions have been held in this state. In these instances the legislature asked the voters whether or not they desired a convention, and, as the people voted in favor of conventions, they were held.

The Senate, without debate, rejected the bill to transfer to the Metropolitan park commission the care and custody of the Cambridge parkway along the bank of the Charles river.

not a quorum present, and as it was about 4.30, the house adjourned.

The debate was opened by Mr. Doyle of Boston, who declared that the relatives of the former governor are now willing that such action be taken by the legislature. Mr. Lomasney interrupted to say that there was not a quorum present. After the sergeant-at-arms had rounded up the requisite number, the session proceeded. Mr. Doyle continued, paying a high tribute to the memory of General Butler.

Mr. Dahlborg of Brockton said that the committee on state house and libraries felt that the cost of the statue was the chief objection to it and that the committee believed that the matter should be referred to the next general court.

Mr. Donovan of Boston spoke in behalf of the bill, saying that "if the people have fought the Civil war, the latter would have ended in six months, instead of four years."

Mr. Sawyer said that those who were in favor of the statue had no apology to offer for Gen. Butler and added that the committee believed that the matter was no more than a question of record in any great general.

**Milk Regulation**

The committee on public health recommended the passage of the bill accompanying the petition of ex-Mayor Fitzgerald to include "milk" in the articles specified in the present laws relating to the storage and exposing for sale of articles of food, and to provide for the inspection of milk and for violations of rules of local or state boards of health in this connection.

The committee on ways and means reported favorably on an appropriation of \$35,743.32 for the maintenance of the Boston State hospital.

**Teachers Favor Tenure**

In response to the invitation of the committee on education, about 60 teachers from various cities and towns of the state assembled in room 240 at the state house last night to urge the passage of legislation to secure the tenure of the teacher in his or her position.

Dr. David Snedden, commissioner of education, opened the hearing by saying that while between school committees of the right kind and teachers of the right kind little is needed in the way of legislation on tenure and discipline, between school committees of the wrong kind and teachers whose standing and professional reputation are not of the best, legislation has become necessary to prevent actual abuses.

The bill now presented by the board of education of Massachusetts represents a compromise of conflicting interests. It does not in any way relieve the school committee of final responsibility for making the schools effective through the dismissal of incompetent or otherwise unsatisfactory teachers. On the other hand, it protects the teachers and superintendent against hasty or ill-considered dismissal, by making such dismissal an orderly process.

Mr. Risk of the Framingham Superintendents' association, submitted amendments to the Tenure bill provided that "a teacher employed to serve at the discretion of the school committee shall not be dismissed or have his salary reduced except with the consent of the state board of education."

**Lowell Teacher Spoke**  
Miss Ella A. Stillings of Lowell, who said she represented an organization of 360 teachers, all strongly in favor of the proposed bill, declared that teachers are inefficient or unsatisfactory teachers or otherwise unsatisfactory teachers have lost their positions, she continued, because the school committee has wanted their places for somebody else.

450 teachers were displaced in six years. Tenure, he continued, will be one means of taking politics out of schools.

Judd E. Dewey of the Massachusetts Teachers' club, favored the bill, as did J. Albert Breck of Newton.

John Lynch of Worcester, who conducted the hearing, said the annual election of teachers is a relic of barbarism and that unless there is tenure, there will be great difficulty for the teacher of 45, 50 or 65 years of age getting a position.

The bill was opposed by Mrs. Christine B. Rice, superintendent of schools, Austin Pitts of Northampton, Superintendent W. Scott Ward and School Committee member Raymond of Dennis. Their argument was that it would tie up the power of the school committee too much and make it extremely hard to get rid of inefficient and improper teachers. The hearing was closed.

**WM. O'BRIEN REELECTED**

**INDEPENDENT IRISH NATIONALIST WAS UNOPOSED FOR RE-ELECTION TO PARLIAMENT**

CORK, Ireland, Feb. 18.—William O'Brien, Independent Irish Nationalist, was re-elected unopposed today as member of parliament for Cork city. He recently resigned in consequence of a speech by Augustine Roche, nationalist member for North Louth, who declared that the Independent leader had lost his hold on Cork. Mr. O'Brien accepted the implied challenge and immediately vacated his seat but the regular national party decided not to oppose him. John E. Redmond, desiring to keep in the background as much as possible any differences between the two wings of the nationalist party.

**NO VOTES FOR WOMEN**  
**BILL FOR ENFRANCHISEMENT OF WOMEN IN SO. AFRICA DEFEATED AT FIRST READING BY OVD VOTE**

CAPETOWN, S. A. Feb. 18.—A bill for the enfranchisement of women in South Africa was introduced into the house of the assembly today, was negatived on the first reading by the narrow majority of 43 against 47 votes.

**TO AID ARTIST EARLE**

**COMPANION LEFT CHRISTIANA, NORWAY, TODAY, TO GO TO PARIS**  
CHRISTIANA, Norway, Feb. 18.—Miss Charlotte Heuman of Rutherford, N. J., the companion of Ferdinand P. Earle, the American artist who was recently extradited to France in connection with the kidnapping of Earle's eight-year-old son from a school in France, left here today for Paris to aid him.

**STORMBOUND TUGS**  
VINEYARD HAVEN, Feb. 18.—The tug Comestoga, whose barque was thought to have been in a stable voyage off Great Point, Nantucket, arrived here today with a towed tug, having been entangled in her towed tug, having moved the obstruction and the tug proceeded down the sound.

A large fleet of storm-bound tugs, barges and several schooners left here today for the eastward, although Nantucket sound was full of drift ice.

**INSPECTED LOCAL PLANS AND HELD MONTHLY MEETING AT APPLETON STREET OFFICE**

The directors of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company held their monthly meeting at the new central office building on Appleton street in this city yesterday. This is in accordance with a plan to familiarize some of the new members of the directorate with local conditions. Some of the larger cities of New England and to enable them to meet the personnel of the organization of the various divisions. The visitors arrived shortly after noon, and were met by the officers of the Eastern Massachusetts division, of which Mr. Wm. W. Whitcomb, of Lowell, is the headquarter. Luncheon was served in the cosy dining room set apart for the headquarters of the Lowell Exchange, who hospitably extended the use of their quarters for the occasion, and then the directors held their formal meeting in the big operators' rest room. The directors present at the luncheon were: Gen. Thomas Sherwin, chairman of the board; President Philip L. Spaulding; Dr. Moses G. Parker, of this city; Wm. Whitcomb, of Lowell; N. H. W. Cameron, governor of Boston (late governor of the Philippines); Henry S. Hyde, of Springfield; Charles P. Smith, of Burlington, Vt.; Bernard W. Trafford, of Boston, and E. B. Winslow of Portland, Me. Others of the luncheon party were: Wm. R. Driver, Jr., general manager; T. N. Whitney, general commercial superintendent; George H. Dresser, general superintendent of plant; E. J. Bowen, general superintendent of traffic; Geo. K. Mansor, chief engineer; E. W. Longley, general auditor; E. J. Parker, II, A. McCoy and O. J. West, division superintendents of the commercial, plant and traffic departments; and C. F. Grover, B. J. Mahoney and J. A. Wilson, respectively district manager, district plant chief, and district traffic chief; and F. J. Healy and C. J. Lester, manager at Lowell.

After the luncheon the directors inspected the new central office building and met Miss Snow, the chief operator, and some of her assistants and took a late afternoon train for Boston.

**IN THE WET COLUMN**

**FALMOUTH VOTES FOR LICENSE FOR FIRST TIME IN HISTORY—FIRST WOMAN TO BE ELECTED**

FALMOUTH, Feb. 18.—This town swung from dry to wet yesterday by a majority of 61 votes, 280 to 223, and for the first time in the history of the town—or at least since the days of the old town agencies—liquor will be sold here.

Mrs. Mary D. Craig defeated John P. Sylvia for school committee member. The following officers were elected: John P. Swift, selectman; W. H. Hewins, town clerk; W. H. Hewins, treasurer; James R. Swift, overseer of the poor; John P. Swift, E. J. Rayson C. Jenkins, tax collector; Dr. T. Lawrence Swift, Mary D. Craig, school committee; Charles E. Hall, water commissioner; Nathan E. Ball, highway surveyor; Russell E. Wye, board of health.

License—Yes, 280; no, 223. Last year—Yes, 237; no, 234.

**CRUISE OF 8000 MILES**  
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